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GROCERIES.

LOWE BROTHERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
AND IMPORTERS OF
Groceries and Provisions
—ALSO—
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and are constantly in receipt of direct shipments of Havana Cigars.
REID'S BLOCK, WHARF STREET.
mh13 tf

GOLDSTONE & BRO.
AGENTS FOR THE
Pioneer Flour Mills,
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Importer and Wholesale Dealer in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS
Dry Goods, Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,
mh8 Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

Sporborg & Rueff,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers
—IN—
Groceries, Provisions,
Boots and Shoes.
WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I
fe21 D&W tf

EXPRESS, FREIGHT,
—AND—
PASSENGER LINE
STAGES!
The undersigned respectfully announces that he is about to place a Regular Line of
PASSENGER STAGES
—BETWEEN—
Yale and Lillooet
—AND—
Alexandria!
Until the steamer ENTERPRISE shall commence her regular Trips between
SODA CREEK AND QUESNELLE CITY,
When the Stages will connect with her at her LOWER LANDING.
The first Coach will leave YALE FOR ALEXANDRIA on
MONDAY, the 21st Instant,
Connecting at Clinton with those from Lillooet.
Full particulars of the time of arrival and departure of these Coaches will be published as soon as arrangements are completed, and every effort will be made to render the connection between the upper and lower River Steamers as perfect as possible.
F. J. BARNARD.
Yale, B. C., March 10th, 1864. mh15 tf

J. K. Suter & Co.,
(Late Arch'd Matheson & Co.)
Accountants,
Insurance Brokers,
And Cariboo Mining Agents,
OFFICE, GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, V. I.
January 15th, 1864. mh16 1m

TONG FAT,
Wholesale and Retail Tea Store,
Opposite the Congregational Church, Fort street,
HAS JUST IMPORTED DIRECT from China a large Stock of the best flavored Teas ever imported to this colony, which will be sold very cheap.
FAMILIES
Who study economy will do well to call at the above Store before purchasing elsewhere.
mh15

BRAVERMAN & LEWIN,
CIGAR & TOBACCO
WAREHOUSE
41 YATES ST. VICTORIA V.I

SEED WAREHOUSE,
NO. 5, FORT STREET.
JAY & CO.
INVITE INSPECTION OF THE UNrivalled stock of
ISLAND GROWN AND IMPORTED
Agricultural,
GARDEN AND FLOWER
SEEDS
Which they are now offering for sale at the above address.
CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION.
mh11

Searby & Moore's
FLUID EXTRACT OF
SARSAPARILLA
AND
IODIDE OF POTASSIUM,
THE BEST PREPARATION OF THE KIND
Government street, Victoria, V. I.

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McTURK'S PAPER COLLARS!
ROPER & Co. have received, per "Sea Snake," 1,100 dozen, of the above, which they are Selling at
Twenty-five Cents per Dozen!

Wholesale and Retail!
ROPER & CO., FORT STREET,
—HAVE RECEIVED—
DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS,
PER SHIPS
"NAPOLEON III," "LOCKETT," AND "PRINCESS ROYAL,"
A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE UNDERMENTIONED GOODS, ADAPTED FOR MINERS AND OTHERS:

Heavy Woolen Pants,
Heavy Overshirts,
Flannel & Lambswool Drawers,
Gum Coats,
Moleskin Pants,
Flannel & Lambswool Shirts,
Hand-Knit Socks,
Boots and Shoes.

BLANKETS---Hudson Bay four-point.
mh3

Spring Ridge
WATER WORKS.
THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE NOW PREpared to supply water to tenements in Yates street down to Government, and in Government from Yates to Fort streets.
They will forthwith lay mains in Government from Yates to Johnson, and down Johnson and Yates to Wharf, and through Wharf street
All persons on these streets who intend to take water, are requested to apply at once, so that service pipes may be attached while the streets are open.
The Rates for Water are in general as follows—payable monthly in advance:
For 100 Gallons..... 50 cents.
For each Consumer..... 50 "
With a house rate in proportion to area. Particulars of other rates can be ascertained at the office in Fort street, 2nd door from Broad.
N. B If the exclusive privilege we are asking for in the Bill now before the House be granted, the above rates will be reduced one-half
mh8 COE & MARTIN.

Coal Oil & Kerosene.
JUST RECEIVED
Per Brig T. W. Lucas.
A very superior quality of
COAL OIL AND KEROSENE,
Which we would specially recommend for family use. For sale wholesale and retail.
mh8 WALLACE & STEWART.

H. B. CAMPBELL,
Accountant and General Agent,
GENERAL AVERAGES ADJUSTED;
BALANCE SHEETS PREPARED;
MINING CLAIMS BOUGHT AND SOLD;
RECORDS SEARCHED AND CERTIfied copies of Pre-emptions and Transfers of Claims obtained at the shortest notice. Rents and Debts Collected.
The most reliable information from Cariboo received regularly per Express.
Office on Government street, lately occupied by Mr. Bishop, opposite Searby & Moore's.
Victoria, January 25th, 1864 fe26

Notice of Removal.
THE OFFICE
—OF THE—
Royal Insurance Company,
IS REMOVED FROM WHARF STREET
TO STORE STREET,
Where Policies in future will be Issued.
ANDERSON & CO.
Victoria, 5th January, 1864. fe7

THE
ROYAL INSURANCE
Company,
Capital..... $10,000,000.
Reserved Fund to meet Current Losses..... 4,000,000.
In approved Convertable Securities which are carefully and periodically examined.
CHARLES TURNER, ESQ., M. P., Chairman.
The business of the past year has added largely to the resources of this old established Institution.
ANDERSON & CO.
Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia.
Victoria, 1st January, 1864. mh7

VICTORIA
BOOK-BINDERY!
Government st., in rear of Mr. Davie, Surgeon.
THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG to inform the Inhabitants of Vancouver Island and British Columbia that they have opened a Book-binding Establishment, and are now prepared to execute all kinds of work in the above line. All orders executed with neatness and dispatch, on the most reasonable term
fe28 OTTO & McKEE.

London and Lancashire
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
(REGISTERED.)
Capital One Million.
Offices 73 and 74 King William st., London
AND
Water street, Liverpool.
HENDERSON & BURNABY
HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies for Fire Insurance, and to settle all claims without delay at their office.
mh2 Wharf street, Victoria, V. I

GEORGE BARNETT,
LAND AGENT
AND
STOCK AND SHARE BROKER
GOVERNMENT STREET.
fe29 1m

Albion Iron Works.
THE QUARTZ MILL AMALGAMATOR
AND RETORTER,
IS NOW AT WORK AT THE ABOVE Iron Works. Parties having Quartz to Crush for Assay will please make early application to the undersigned.
SPRATT & KRIEMLER.

HICKMAN, TYE & CO,
Next the Theatre, Government street,
Have on hand, ex "Sea Snake" and "Lockett."
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BAR, Banding and Hoop Iron, "Gilpin's" best Double Horse Shoe "Brand."
HORSE SHOE IRON, "BEST BEST," AND NAILS.
SHEET IRON;
STEEL.—Octagon Cast, Toe Corks, Spring and Shear;
TIN.—In Ingots and Bars;
SHEET ZINC;
WIRE;
SPRINGS AND AXLES, BOLTS AND NUTS, etc., etc.
A general assortment of
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.
EARTHENWARE AND GLASSWARE;
Also, to arrive per "Himalaya,"
HORSE AND MULE SHOES, &C., &C.

NEW
Boot and Shoe Store,
Pattrick's New Brick Building
GOVERNMENT STREET,
ADJOINING THE ISLAND HOTEL
THE SUBSCRIBERS, having just received a large and handsome assortment of
LADIES,' GENTLEMEN'S and CHILDREN'S
Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,
From the first manufacturers of America and Europe, have opened their stock at the above address.
Every description of goods in their line will be sold
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
AT LOW PRICES.
Gent's Boots made to order in the best style.
Repairing done with neatness and dispatch
SCHULTZ & TRICKEY
mh2 1m

SELLING OFF!
Matthew R. Webb & Co,
FORT STREET, NEAR WHARF,
BEING ABOUT TO LEAVE FOR CARIBOO for a short period, offer for sale their entire stock of
CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
CARPETING, ETC.
At Manufacturer's Prices!
fe9

POCOCK & KEAST,
Wine and Spirit Stores,
LANGLEY STREET,
Agents for Cooper & Aves'
CELEBRATED
OILMAN'S STORES!
mh14

NOTICE.
I HAVE, ON THE 13TH INSTANT, sold to William Newbury my entire interest in the business heretofore carried on by me as Saddle and Harness Maker, in Yates street. I take this opportunity of thanking my former customers for their many favors, and I feel much pleasure in recommending them to my successor. As a mechanic Mr. Newbury has no superior, and his immense stock being the best selected and largest ever imported to this market, will enable him not only to compete with others, but to sell
25 per Cent Cheaper
Than any house on the Pacific Coast.
J. MARTIN.
REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, I would respectfully notify the public that I have assumed the business lately carried on by
MR. MARTIN,
IN YATES STREET,
Where by strict attention and correctness in business I hope to gain a fair portion of the patronage so liberally bestowed on my predecessor.
With this view I submit for their inspection
IN ADDITION
To the Already Extensive Stock,
A Splendid Assortment of
Ladies' Riding Saddles,
And Hewitt's Patent Rein Holders,
And a large variety of other Goods
EX NAPOLEON III.
mh15 1m

THE PRIZE ESSAY
—ON—
British Columbia,
IS NOW PUBLISHED AND FOR SALE in Victoria, at
HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S Bookstore.

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

ST. NICHOLAS
HOTEL!
GOVERNMENT ST.,
VICTORIA, V. I.
N. C. MATTHIESSEN, P. MATTHIESSEN, H. VALENTINER, } PROPRIETORS.
THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated and tastefully furnished There is a large
Public Restaurant!
Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties' etc.
THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT
Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. mh131m

Cleal's Restaurant!
GOVERNMENT STREET,
2 doors North of Occidental Saloon.
D. CLEAL, IN RETURNING THANKS TO the public of Victoria for the liberal patronage hitherto received, and in asking a continuance of the same, wishes to inform his patrons that on and after Monday next, 29th inst., he will be enabled to supply them with first class
Soups,
And the best quality of
Chops and Steaks!
The market affords, at the most moderate rates.
fe27 1m

COLONIAL HOTEL.
GOVERNMENT STREET.
S. DRIARD, PROPRIETOR, BEGS TO INFORM his friends and the public that his Hotel has been furnished in a comfortable style. mh3 1m

OCCIDENTAL BAR,
Cor. of Fort and Government streets,
MARSHALL & LINCK
PROPRIETORS.
The best WINES, LIQUORS, ETC., always on hand. fe22 tf

Keep it before the People.
A. BULER
HAS JUST RECEIVED,
DIRECT FROM ENGLAND,
—A CHOICE—
Invoice of Goods!
Gentlemen's Clothing, Coats, Pants and Vests, Palmas, Silk and Wool Underclothing, Large Assortment Superior Long Rubber Coats, Leggings Carpet Sacks, Valises, Miner's Overshirts, Baltic Shirts, Paper Collars, Hats and Caps, Gloves, Half Hose, etc., etc.
JUST RECEIVED,
100 dozen Ladies' Hosiery,
MISSES' HOSIERY,
The best selected and finest line ever brought to this market. For sale wholesale or retail.
On hand, as usual, a full supply of
WATCHES,
JEWELRY,
INDIAN CURIOSITIES, Etc
Take my word for it, Fellow Citizens,
Call at A. BULER'S, where you can buy good goods cheap for CASH—and cash only
A. BULER,
Government street, opposite COLONIST Office.
N. B. A few Gentlemen's Dressing Gowns—a nice article. mh1 2m

HEYWOOD'S
CELEBRATED
PORK SAUSAGES.
Yorkshire Market,
Cor. of YATES AND BAYLEY STREETS.
Dealer in all kinds of SALT MEATS.
Genuine Yorkshire Hams;
Celebrated Westphalia Hams;
St. Clair's Belfast Hams;
Victoria (V. I.) Sugar Cured Hams;
Puget Sound Hams;
Oregon Hams;
California Hams;
Duffields Cincinnati Hams;
Heywood's Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon.
Smoked and Pickled Tongues.
Pure Leaf Lard &c.
Cumberland Hams and Bacon.
my15 1y

Donnolly & Co.s'
NEWLY IMPROVED
Yeast Powders.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole Agents for Vancouver's Island and British Columbia for the above mentioned celebrated brand of Yeast Powders, now beg to intimate that they have always an assortment on hand for sale.
N. B.—To prevent counterfeits, all Donnolly & Co.'s Newly Improved Yeast Powders have red top labels with our name attached.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co
mh1 tf

SOUTHERN STATES
Arrival of over 20 different brands of
Plug Tobacco
IN LOTS TO SUIT,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
ALSO—The finest Havana Cigars, Fruit, and Confectionery.
FRANK CAMPBELL,
Corner of Johnson st., and Waddington Alley.
"ONE PRICE HOUSE." mh2 1m

John Wm. Vaughan,
Photographic Artist,
VICTORIA THEATRE, V. I.
mh5 tf

MR. E. MALLANDAINE,
ARCHITECT.
OFFICE—MOORE'S BUILDING, YATES STREET
Estimates, Specifications, and Working Drawings prepared. Every facilities for Students or Articled Pupils. mh3

UNDERTAKING.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
The Trade Supplied.
R. LEWIS,
Corner of Government and Broughton streets,
mh 3 tf Victoria.

St. Andrew's Church,
In Connection with the Established Church of Scotland
DIVINE SERVICE WILL BE HELD (temporarily) at the CITY COUNCIL HALL, Broad street Morning, at 11 o'clock; Evening, 6½ o'clock. The Rev. JAMES NIMMO, Pastor. mh1

MISCELLANEOUS.

RECEPTION
—OF—
GOV. KENNEDY.
The following Programme for the day of the reception of GOVERNOR KENNEDY has been approved, and it is particularly requested that so far as practicable the course laid down be adhered to by all who desire that a becoming reception be given to our newly-appointed Governor the day he arrives. The Marshal of the day, W. J. McDONALD, Esq., will have sole direction of the order of procession, whose orders directly or indirectly through his Assistant Marshals it is to be hoped will be cheerfully complied with.
(Signed) THOS. HARRIS,
Chairman of General Committee of Management.

THE PROGRAMME!
—FOR THE—
RECEPTION OF GOV. KENNEDY.
As soon as ascertained that the Governor is on board of the Steamer, the Colonial Secretary will proceed to Esquimalt in a Coach and Four to receive His Excellency and Family. This coach to be placed at the disposal of the Ladies, who will be driven to the St. George Hotel. The Colonial Secretary will accompany His Excellency around to Victoria in the Gunboat, with the officers of the Fleet and no others.
Upon the Gunboat with his Excellency on board entering the harbor a Salute to be fired and answered.
SIGNAL FOR ALL TO ASSEMBLE:
The Ringing of the Union Hook and Ladder Company's Bell.
PLACE OF RENDEZVOUS:
All public bodies and citizens to rendezvous at the junction of Yates and Government streets, form into line, and proceed to Messrs. Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s wharf, Store street, to receive his Excellency on landing.
ON THE ARRIVAL.
On the arrival to a point on Store street the Band will open, and each succeeding pair will proceed and open to allow the succeeding members of the procession to pass through.
The respective Societies to choose their own form of arrangement in the line of march.
On landing the Colonial Secretary will present the Chief Justice, the Hon Speaker of the House of Assembly, and His Worship the Mayor to His Excellency, who will escort him to the carriage in waiting in the line of procession; and to be accompanied in the carriage by the Colonial Secretary, the Senior Officer of the Fleet, and the Mayor.
The procession will then move towards James Bay—along Store street to Johnson, thence to Wharf street, along Wharf to Yates street, up Yates to Government, along Government to James Bay.
ORDER OF PROCESSION:
STANDARD BEARER
BAND.
GRAND MARSHAL.
CHIEF JUSTICE.
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
OFFICERS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY.
ESCORT OF TWO FROM EACH SOCIETY.
CARRIAGE AND SIX HORSES.
MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION.
CLERGYMEN OF ALL DENOMINATIONS.
MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION.
MEMBERS OF THE MEDICAL PROFESSION
C. B. C. U. SOCIETY.
FRENCH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.
ALBERT LODGE I. O. OF G. T.
CALEDONIA SOCIETY.
PILOTS.
BAND.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.
CITIZENS.
W. J. McDONALD,
mh15 GRAND MARSHAL.

RECEIVED
Ex Recent Arrivals.
BOLLINGER CHAMPAGNE, Quarts & Pints;
F. BLEMONT do do
EUGENE CLICQUOT do do
JACQUESSON & SON. do Quarts;
CHOICE SAUTERNES in Case:
DO CLARETS in Cases, Casks and Half Casks;
—AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF—
Fine Brandies, Spirits & French Liqueurs
—ALSO—
A Fresh Invoice of Havana Cigars,
For sale by
LOWE BROTHERS,
fe23 Reid's Block, Wharf street

GEO. CRUICKSHANK,
Accountant, Money Broker,
Land and Real Estate Agent,
BEGS TO INFORM HIS FRIENDS and the public that his engagement with the Bank of British Columbia having terminated, he has opened an office in Government street for the transaction of a General Agency and Brokerage Business. Securities of every description negotiated on liberal terms. Loans arranged. Mortgages effected; City and Country Property bought, sold, and leased on commission.
Victoria, V. I., 1st January, 1864. mh5

T. ALLSOP,
Land and Mining Agent,
Government Street, near Broughton.
LOTS FOR SALE, AND TO LEASE, In various parts of the City and Suburbs.
FARMING LANDS FOR SALE, Or to Let
MINING AND OTHER SHARES Bought and Sold.
MORTGAGES EFFECTED.
LONDON AGENTS,
Messrs. ALLSOP & CO.,
mh9 1m Old Broad street, E. C

CAUTION.
TO MY CUSTOMERS.
AS IT HAS COME TO MY CERTAIN knowledge that work sent to me through strangers, has been WRONGLY DELIVERED to NEIGHBORING SHOPS, I therefore inform my Customers residing in New Westminster and other parts of British Columbia, and those who know me only by recommendation, that my place of business is in Government Street, in the
BRICK BUILDING
Of the
SAN FRANCISCO BATH HOUSE,
Immediately adjoining the Saloon. No other Watchmaker in this place carries on business in a BRICK BUILDING.
Respectfully,
G. LANGE,
Chronometer & Watchmaker.
Government Street.
fe26 1m 2p Victoria, V. I

East India Pale Ale,
OF VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY,
Brewed by Gundry, Downe & Co,
BRIDPORT, DORSET.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole Agents for the above have the same constantly on hand in bulk and bottle.
mh14 1m HENDERSON & BURNABY.

V. M. FOUCAULT,
LAND AGENT,
Stock and Share Broker,
Office Government street, lately occupied by Mr Chas. Bellows.
Town Lots and Farming Lands Bought and Sold
fe26 6m

NOTICES.

NOTICE.
VICTORIA, V. I., March 15.
THERE ARE NOW SOME MEN IN Victoria who worked for Mr G. B. WRIGHT last summer, who have not got their pay. If this should meet the eye of the above-named gentleman the undersigned would be very much obliged to him if he would send down the money to the Bank of British Columbia
mh16 2w* CHARLES VARLEY.

CHALLENGE.
THE FOUR-OARED BOAT BUILT at Alberni, will row against any four-oared boat in Vancouver Island or British Columbian waters for from $1000 to $3000 aside. Parties wishing to take up this challenge can get information at the Pioneer Saloon Johnson street.
THOMAS BURNES,
On behalf of the Crew.
P. S.—$1000 now lies in Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Office for this race, and this challenge stands open for two weeks. Race to come off in Victoria Harbor.
mh16 2w

Dissolution of Partnership.
NOTICE.
THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between Isidore Shirpser, David Shirpser, and Herman Shirpser, carrying on business at Victoria, Vancouver Island, and the Dalles, Oregon, United States of America, as Merchants and General Dealers, was, by agreement, dated the 26th February last, dissolved by mutual consent. The business at the Dalles will in future be carried on by the said Isidore and Herman Shirpser, and all debts owing by and monies due to the late firm there will be paid and received by them; and the business at Victoria will be carried on by the said David Shirpser, and all debts owing by and monies due to the firm paid and received by him
Dated 11th March 1864. mh12 1m

FOUND.
ON THE SAANICH ROAD, NEAR the Royal Oak, a Pocket Book, containing several letters, etc. The owner can have the same by paying for this advertisement. mh12 1w

NOTICE.
THE BRITISH COLUMBIA COMPANY, Limited, hereby give notice that they have withdrawn their Power of Attorney from Mr. Robert Plummer, Junior.
Dated 35 Bucklersbury, London, 24th December, 1863.
By order,
D. H. FIELDER,
mh9 tf Secretary.

REMOVAL.
W. H. RUSKINNON NOTIFIES HIS customers and the trade that his business is removed from Wharf street to the corner of Fort and Langley streets, from this date.
Victoria, March 7th, 1864 mn8 1m

N. M. Clerjon, deceased.
NOTICE. ALL PERSONS HAVING any claims against the estate of N. M. Clerjon, deceased, are requested to send the same in for settlement forthwith to the undersigned.
SOSTHENE DRIARD.
L. A BLANC.
mh2 1m Government street, V. I.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between PETER LESTER and MIFFLIN WISTAR GIBBS as Merchants and General Traders, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Parties having claims against the firm of LESTER & GIBBS are requested to send them in or settlement to our Office, Government Street, Victoria, Feby. 12th.
Witnesss, PETER LESTER,
M.W.T. DRAKE, M. W. GIBBS.
mh 4, 1 m.

NOTICE.
MR. GEORGE MAIN,
Formerly of 14, Albion Road, St. John's Wood, London.
HENDERSON & BURNABY WILL be obliged for any information respecting the above. fe24

NOTICE.
DURING THE ABSENCE OF MR. Robert Burnaby from this colony, Mr. Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt holds Powers of Attorney to act for the firm of Henderson & Burnaby, and also for Mr Burnaby in his private capacity.
Victoria, January 20, 1864. fe21

LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH
Opticians
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
OPTICAL,
Mathematical & Philosophical
INSTRUMENTS,
STEREOSCOPIC GOODS,
PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS
CARTES DE VISITE,
AND
Jos. Rodgers & Sons' Superior Cutlery
Have for sale the largest and best assortment on the Pacific Coast, to which they would call the particular attention of the public and the trade.
Having unusual facilities for getting our goods from first hands, we feel confident that purchasers will really promote their own interests by selecting from our stock.
Complete Catalogues of Cartes de Visite Stereoscopic and other goods, sold by us, may be had on application, or will be sent to any address, by mail POSTAGE PAID.
637 Clay Street, San Francisco.
March 25. m7 p 1y

A. F MAIN,
Land Agent,
STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,
—AND—
ACCOUNTANT.
OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.
August 17th, 1863. mh18 tf

SALT! SALT!!
Twenty tons best S. I. Salt,
In 100-lb packages.
For Sale in Lots to Suit.
JOHN T. LITTLE,
mh3 City Wharf.

GENTILE,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
FORT STREET, COR. GOVERNMENT STREET,
VIEWS OF VICTORIA, INCLUDING the Harbor, Government and Fort streets Government Buildings, James Bay, the H B Company's Store.
Portraits of King and Queen Freezy, and other Indians. mh5 1m

P. J. LEECH,
LAND SURVEYOR,
Sea Water Bath House,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
mh18 3m

A CARD.
DAVID WALKER, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office, Government street, 4 doors South of Fort st
RESIDENCE:
Fisguard street, late Mrs. Dodd's, near the Iron Church mh1 1m

MR. JOHN COPLAND,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
—AND—
SOLICITOR,
LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.
mh6 1m

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
Auctioneers & Commission Merchants,
WHARF STREET
WRIGHT & SANDES,
ARCHITECTS,
Office—CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS
Victoria, V. I. mh4

WANTS.

WANTED
ON BOTTOMRY,
FOR THE HANOVERIAN BARK
Aornise,
THE SUM OF $1,500.
For particulars apply at the Office of
J. NAGLE,
mh17 Ship Broker, near the Police Barracks.

TO HOTEL KEEPERS,
Storekeepers, Etc.
WANTED,
BY A RESPECTABLE MAN AND HIS wife, of considerable experience, a situation to manage a business of any kind, in Cariboo, or on the road to Cariboo, or would not object to service.
Address, stating particulars, to ALPHA, Colonist Office. mh12 2w*

WANTED.
From 20 to 25 Competent
Shipwrights.
Employment for several months on liberal wages
Apply at Trahey's Shipbuilding Yard, Victoria.
mh10 1m*
Overland Press and Puget Sound Herald copy.

BAKER WANTED.
WANTED, A BAKER. TO A THOROUGHLY competent man constant employment and liberal wages will be given. Apply to WILSON & MURRAY, Victoria Bakery, Fort street.
None but a sober man need apply. mh8

Information Wanted.
OF FREDERICK ZAHN, WHO LEFT Plymouth in 1854. Last heard from in 1862, in Jacksonville, Oregon. Any information of his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his son, CHARLES ZAHN, San Francisco, Cal fe22

SEARBY & MOORE,
Dispensing Chemists,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
HAVING RECEIVED, per "Excelsior," and other recent arrivals from London, considerable additions to their stock, are now able offer to the public
THE BEST SELECTED STOCK OF
DRUGS
In the Colony.
As their attention is now devoted to establishing a
PURE DRUG BUSINESS,
The Medical Profession, and those interested in having carefully prepared Medicines, have all the advantages that UNDIVIDED ATTENTION can secure. Being
Practical Pharmaceutists,
AS WELL AS
IMPORTERS OF DRUGS,
They will be able to supply whatever new remedies may from time to time be called into requisition by the combined investigations of Physicians and Chemists, whether European or American. While, however, their first aim is to procure the best materials, and by skillful manipulation to produce therefrom
The Best Medicines!
They at the same time keep a constant supply of every kind of remedial appliances, such as Bandages, Splints, Trusses, Elastic Stockings, Ear and Enema Syringes, Breast Pumps, etc., of the newest and most improved descriptions, and also such articles for the Nursery, the Toilet, the Sick Room, and for general family use as are usually found in the First Class Druggists' Shops of England.
Among their recent importation, the following are especially worthy of attention:
PURE NEWFOUNDLAND
COD LIVER OIL,
(NEW);
SPARKLING EFFERVESCENT
Citrate of Magnesia,
Prepared in London, Expressly for S. & M
COUGH LOZENGES,
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PEPSINE---The Genuine,
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JAMES' FEVER POWDER,
(The Genuine,)
FLUID MAGNESIA!
DINNEFORD'S AND MURRAY'S,
NELSON'S CUT GELATINE,
VICKERS' CUT ISINGLASS,
(For Family Use.
TURKEY SPONGES
Puff Boxes.
GOSNELL'S
Hair Brushes!
Large, and of First Quality.
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Miss Florence Wilson
IS LEAVING THE COLONY
In Three Weeks,
And therefore intends
Selling Off at Cost Price!
THE WHOLE OF THE NEW STOCK
JUST ARRIVED PER "SEA SNAKE,"
Consisting of
CARVED WOOD
Bread, Butter, and Cheese Dishes!
Mantel Ornaments, in Parian and Bronze!
Toys, &c., &c.
fe29
D. Y. Stewart & Co.,
GLASGOW.
MANUFACTURERS OF CAST-IRON WATER PIPES.
All proved to 350 feet head of water.
Sole Agents,
STEWART & CO.,
mh13 Wharf street.
Lick's Mills Flour!
ONE HUNDRED BBLS. OF THIS Celebrated Flour in half and quarter Sacks, just received ex "Camden," and for Sale by
PICKETT & Co.
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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, March 21, 1864.

To Advertisers & the Public.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST, published every morning (Sundays excepted), is the largest and most widely circulated journal in Her Majesty's Possessions on the Pacific.

Resident Subscribers may have the same left at their residence at 25 cents per week, by furnishing their address at the Office of Publication.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST, published every Tuesday, will be mailed or left at the residence of Subscribers, ready for mailing, at 25 cents per week, payable to the carrier.

JOB PRINTING.

THE BRITISH COLONIST PUBLISHING COMPANY having received a large addition to their stock of new and beautiful jobbing type, will execute orders to any extent with neatness and despatch, at a slight advance on San Francisco prices.

GOVERNOR KENNEDY.

Before this reaches the eye of the public Governor Kennedy will have probably arrived, and will in due course receive an ovation from the inhabitants. If we erect arches, and like the citizens of Rome at Cæsar's triumph, "put on our best attire, cull out a holiday, and strew flowers in his way," it is not, like the Roman citizens, to pander to the vanity of a conqueror, but to show a marked respect to the representative of Her Majesty, and to offer a reception to a gentleman of whom much is expected. We have had our season of grumbling and discontent; but with the dawn of a hopeful future, we have buried the hatchet and accepted the calumet. We have given a farewell demonstration to the retiring governor, and now, in the same spirit of courtesy, we extend a warm and genuine welcome to his successor. Governor Kennedy arrives at the most important phase of our existence—the transforming period of youth to manhood.—After the boisterous weather of our spring-time—the gales and showers of a blustering March—we are gradually gliding to the more serene season, the summer of our political maturity.

An auspicious period is opening to the colony, and an opportunity is afforded His Excellency to become one of the most popular of governors. He commences his Vancouver Island career with a *tabula rasa*—the blank pages of his official book are clear and unsullied—no prejudicial connections encumber his policy, no injurious interests stand between him and the people's welfare. Acquainted with the working of free institutions in the Australian dependencies, he comes to us with a proper conception of what is due, in a political sense, to the enterprising population of a British colony. Had we received a governor from England, destitute of colonial experience, we should, in all probability, have had a man wedded inseparably to forms and customs unsuited to the exigencies of the more progressive communities of younger countries. As it is, however, we have reason to be gratified at obtaining a gentleman who has seen something of the world, and who comes to us free from that obstinacy and self-sufficiency which usually accompany limited experience.

As a people, we are too prone to attach to the Executive some mysterious, undefined power, and expect from it the labors of a Hercules. So soon as Governor Kennedy enters Yates street he is told to "develop our resources," when he might with just as much reason be asked to "build our houses," or "till our soil." The fable of Jupiter and the Waggoner is always in requisition, and we are afraid that unless we have the necessary self-reliance and intelligence to develop our own material resources we shall have but a poor chance of the labor being performed by the representative of Her Majesty. The position of a Governor of a British colony is now well defined. The days of intermeddling Executives have, in nearly all the colonies, happily ceased, and the wise Governor no more than Queen Victoria attempts to interfere in the political affairs of the country. To aid and encourage the inhabitants in every laudable enterprise—to endeavor, in colonies where the population is large, to remove by social reunions the ascerbities of political life—to give a tone to that society of which he should be the ornament and the head,—and to look after the constitutionality of the acts of the Legislature, are really the duties pertaining to his office. In our form of government, a little wider latitude is given, of course, to the Governor than in colonies having the full measure of responsibility; but owing to the deficiency of intellect or independence in our Legislature hitherto, the Executive has been allowed, in too many instances, to supersede the functions of the representatives of the people. To place things, therefore, in their legitimate channel, will be one of the first duties of His Excellency.

It is neither to the advantage nor is it the inclination of a wise Governor, to encroach on the people's prerogatives. It may be well said, indeed, that liberty is the highest blessing that a colony as well as a nation can enjoy; that it must be first deserved before it can be enjoyed, and that it is the truest interest of the Executive no less than of the people, to employ all just and honest means that it may be both deserved and enjoyed. Out of the three Governors who ruled successively in the most prosperous of the Australian Colonies, the only one who was at all successful in his administration was the man who kept himself aloof from the intrigues and wranglings of political life. He was quite content with the position analogous to that which Her Majesty held, and so like her obtained the general esteem of the inhabitants. It is, in fact, due to the monarchs of Great Britain that her representative should studiously avoid placing himself in any position that would bring him into conflict with the people, unless, indeed, in the exercise of his veto power in that emergency when Imperial interests might seem to be jeopardised.

Felix quem faciunt aliena pericula cautum—happy, whom others' dangers render prudent. Our past Governor had to *buy* his experience, and oftentimes at the expense of his popularity; Governor Kennedy, if he be a sagacious man, will be able to *borrow* his from the late administration. He will discover that the blunders of the past were due mainly to the disregard of public opinion on the part of those in power, and that a Governor can be very materially injured by a staff of unscrupulous officials. Happily the cause of the complaint in the latter case has been to a great extent removed; but it will still require the utmost vigilance on the part of His Excellency to prevent his reputation suffering from the acts of his subordinates.

REAL ESTATE
AT AUCTION.
DUNCAN & GEORGE

Are instructed to offer for sale on **SATURDAY,** March 26th, at **12** o'clock, M., on the premises, JOHNSON ST., opposite to Waddington Alley,

The HOUSE next above Mr. BOSSI'S,

Containing fourteen rooms and a cellar, on ground favorably leased. A never failing spring of water. The above presents a favorable opportunity to anyone wishing to engage in the Hotel business, as it has been established since 1858 by its present proprietor.

☞ For particulars apply to the Auctioneers. mh21

FOR SALE.

25 **KEGS BLASTING POWDER FOR** sale by
mh22 EDGAR MARVIN

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Victoria Theatre.

A GRAND COMPLIMENTARY **BENEFIT** HAS BEEN TENDERED TO

MR. J. ALLEN,

Leader of the Orchestra, by Mr. R. S. BACHELDER Proprietor of **PEARSON'S MIRROR OF THE WAR**

Which will take place on TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 22,

On which occasion MR HOFFMAN and MEMBERS of the GERMANIA SING VEREIN have kindly volunteered their services, together with the **MEMBERS OF THE ORCHESTRA** —AND— SEVERAL GENTLEMEN AMATEURS Of this City.

During the Evening **MR. ALLEN** will perform Solos on the

MUSICAL GRIDIRON

(by 1,000 requests) and other peculiar Instruments Independent of the Musical Olio

THE CELEBRATED WAR PICTURES Will be unrolled for the Last Time, with increased Pictoral effect.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle. $1; Pit, 50 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock—Performance commences at 8 o'clock—Box Office open from 11 a.m. to 4 p m. mh21

Artesian Gold Mining Co., Limited.

BY RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE Board of Directors, on SATURDAY, March 19. the Stock of this Company now offered for sale by the Board of Directors will be raised on the 21st April next to $20 per share, and thereafter that will be the minimum price.

WANTED.

WANTED.—A Superintendent or Foreman of the Works One who is generally acquainted with mining, and who has had experience with Artesian boring preferred. Persons desiring the situation must send in their applications and reference to the Secretary, on or before the 31st March next ensuing.

J. P. CRANFORD, Sec'y A. G. M. Co.
Office—FORT STREET. mh21

Reception Committee
NOTICE.

SHOULD HIS EXCELLENCY GOV. KENNEDY arrive on Sunday, the Reception and Inauguration will take place on Monday.

A General Holiday is proclaimed, and it is hoped that a demonstration worthy of the occasion will be manifested

The Platforms in front of the Colonial Buildings are reserved for Ladies and the Schools.

The Committee regret to be informed that the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly declines the honor they had intended for him. It becomes necessary, therefore, to make a slight alteration in the Programme—See Programme of the day.

By order,
J. T. PIDWELL, Hon. Sec.
mh21

Proclamation.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE GENERAL wish of the Inhabitants of the City. I hereby proclaim a GENERAL HOLIDAY on the day of the Reception and Inauguration of His Excellency Governor KENNEDY, C.B.

THOMAS HARRIS, Mayor.
mh21

The Royal
INSURANCE COMPANY,
—FOR—
FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

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THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the undersigned their agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and will now accept proposals for Insurance, both in the Fire and Life Departments. They feel confident that the known standing and character of this office, the sound principles on which it is established, and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
WHARF STREET.
Victoria, h January, 1863. mh20

Queen Insurance Company,

Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies.
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JOHN J. COCHRANE,
LAND AGENT,
GOVERNMENT STREET, NEXT COLONIST OFFICE

Town Lots and Farming Land bought sold and leased mh21 1m

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, TO LET.

A WELL FURNISHED PARLOR, and One or Two Bedrooms, pleasantly situated. For Particulars apply At the Office of this Paper.
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PARTNER WANTED.

IN A BUSINESS LONG ESTABLISHED and now paying a nett profit of (750) Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars per Month, which can be largely increased by the addition of the above amount of Capital.

Address, MERCHANT, Colonist Office.
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Insurance against Fire effected upon—Buildings and their Contents, Timber and Coal, Ships in harbor, with or without cargoes on board, Ships under repair, or in course of construction.

Agents for Fire, Vancouver's Island (Victoria.
SIFFKEN BROTHERS & CO.,
mh21 Corner of Wharf and Johnson sts

ROYAL MAIL
Steam Packet
Company's Agency,

For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS, Yates Street.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS and passengers is particularly directed to the superior facilities the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Line affords for the speedy conveyance of Treasure, Goods and Passengers to and from England to British Columbia and Vancouver Island, in connection with the **Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Vessels and the Panama Railroad.** The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall **direct** being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.

Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France

Further information on the subject of Freight and Passage Money will be furnished by the undersigned.

ALEX. D. MACDONALD, Agent.

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SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on Coutts & Co., London. Bank of State of New York, New York.

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GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco.

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted
Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 mh20-1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

200 Fruit Trees and Bushes!

Wednesday, Mar. 23,

DANIEL SCOTT & CO. WILL SELL, IN FRONT OF THE CITY AUCTION ROOMS, FORT ST. NEAR WHARF, —ON— WEDNESDAY, 23rd inst., At 11 A.M.,

200 Assorted Fruit Trees and Bushes;
12 Garden Rakes;

AFTERWARDS IN STORE

Balance Stock of Messrs. M. R. WEBB & Co.,

—CONSISTING OF—

Carpets;
Summer Suits;
Dress do.
Tweeds,
Pilot Overcoats,
Monkey Jackets,
Men's Half Hose,
Broad Cloth, &c., &c.

mh21 (Express Copy)

Auction.

THIS DAY,

Monday, March 21.

DANIEL SCOTT & CO Will sell AT THE CITY AUCTION ROOMS, FORT STREET, NEAR WHARF,

Monday Morning, the 21st inst.

At 11 o'clock, A.M.

200 bxs Candles, slightly damaged;
400 Coey's Bacon, do
50 dozen best Steel Knives and Forks;
25 doz Clasp do
10 bbls Beef and Pork;
2 hhds Burton Ale;
25 cs Scotch Whisky;
25 cs Devonshire Cider.

—ALSO—

Several lots of Crockeryware;
do Looking Glasses
60 lbs Quicksilver.

—ALSO—

A quantity of Books.

—ALSO—

—At Commencement of Sale—

The Property of the late Dr. Clerjon:

1 Colt's Revolver;
1 Double Barreled Gun;
1 Pistol with Dagger;
1 case Drawing Instruments;
1 bundle of Furs;
1 Watch;
1 Hunting Watch;
1 Silver Watch;
1 Gold Pencil Case;
1 case Lancets;
1 Flute;
1 Flageolet;
1 Camera Stand;
1 Trunk;
Glaziers Diamonds, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

1 18 karat Gold Albert Chain;
1 Large Tent, &c. mh19

The Metropolitan LODGING HOUSE,

YATES STREET,

HAS JUST BEEN NEWLY FURnished in a First-Class style, with Spring Mattrasses etc., etc.

LODGINGS PER WEEK - - From $1 to $2 & $3
do do NIGHT - - - 25 to 50 cts. & $1

The Proprietor, wishing to retire, will either sell or Lease the whole Business, and offers

FOR SALE

Besides the above,

50 Bedsteads, Spring, Pulu and Straw Mattrasses, Double and Single; Bed-sheets, Coverlets, Crockery,

And all the complete FURNITURE for Bedrooms.

Enquire of MRS. IMMEL LUSCH, At the Metropolitan Lodging House.
mh21 1m

A CARD.

Mrs. L. E. Wilcox,
Teacher of Vocal & Instrumental Music

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT SHE has removed to View street, opposite to the "Sister's School." where she will give Lessons on the Piano, Singing, &c, &c.

Victoria, Dec. 19th, 1863. mh21 1m

Fish Barrels for Sale

300 to 500 BBLS. AND HALF BBLS. The Finest ever seen on the Island; newly made out of the best well-seasoned pine Staves.

Apply to P. MANSON, Humboldt Street
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At Private Sale.

THE RESTAURANT AND HOTEL ON Johnson street, known as the LOUISANA, containing Eleven Furnished Bedrooms, with Crockery and everything complete in the Restaurant Rent, $40 per month A good opportunity for a man with small capital.

Apply to J. A. McCREA, Wharf street.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

THIS DAY

Monday, March 21,

At 11 o'clock A. M.

J. A. McCREA WILL SELL AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET

—TO CLOSE INVOICES—

Per Order Messrs. Dickson, Campbell & Co.,

5 qr csks Vinegar;
10 bxs Tea;
10 cs Ginger;
10 cs Chow Chow;
10 cs Sago;
25 bxs Candles;
25 do do
8 csks Glassware;
5 cs Sauces;
25 bgs Cossipore Sugar;
1 cs Paper Hangings;
3 cs Cheese;
25 cs China Oil;
10 csks Sal Soda;
1 hhd Earthenware;
Lot Fishing Nets;
2 cs Looking Glasses;
10 bbls Beef; mh17

—ALSO—

4 Bales Canvass.

Crockery.

20 Crates assorted.
PLATES CUPS & SAUCERS;
Side and Vegetable Dishes, in all varieties;
Soup Tureens, &c.,

—AND—

20 cases English Pickles,
And a variety of other Goods.

TERMS AT SALE. mh21

ANDERSON & CO
Have Landing,
Ex "Sea Snake," and Recent Arrivals

SPIRITS.

BRANDY—Hennessy Pale, fine old in cask
" Martell Dark, do do
" Otard Dupuy Pale, in case
" Tribot Fils & Co's Pale, in case
" Crabbie, do
" British Pale, low prices, in cask
RUM—Demerara and Jamaica, in cask
WHISKEY—Scotch, in cases, kegs, qr casks and hhds
" Holland's, in pipes

WINES.

CHAMPAGNE—Parmentier's
PORT—in cases and qr casks, fine to ordinary
SHERRY— do do do
CLARET—Chateau la Rose and Margaux
BURGUNDY—In cases

MALT LIQUORS.

PORTER—Byass', Hibbert's, and Friend's, qts and pints
ALE—Tennent's, Byass', and Allsopp's, quarts and pints

BRITISH WINES.

GINGER, Strawberry, Raspberry, Black Currant.

GROCERIES.

Belmont Candles	Finger Blue
Loaf Sugar	Confectionery
S I Sugar	Biscuits
Wiltshire Cheese	Starch
Irish Hams	Pie Fruits and Jams
Preserved Meats	S I Rice
S I Syrup	Soap of all kinds.

NAVAL STORES

Bolt Rope	Sewing Twine
Europe Rope	Tar and Pitch
Ensigns	Varnish, black
Palms	Varnish, bright
Blocks	Linseed Oil
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CLOTHING.

Baltic Shirts	Silk Handkerchiefs
Serge Shirts	Linen Shirts
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Pilot Suits	Inverness Capes
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WELL SELECTED INVOICES,
Saddlery, Iron Safes, Pumps.

MISCELLANEOUS;

Corrugated Iron, Steam Engines, Slates, Wrapping Paper, White Lead.

GOODS TO ARRIVE—OFFERED LOW.

Sardines
Moet and Chandler's } **CHAMPAGNE.**
Mumm
Mosseau
Guinness' Stout
Hennessy Case Brandy
Hosiery

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Jules Robin & Co's Brandy—first shipment per Royal Charlie.
Allsopp's Ale, in bulk—first shipment per Royal Charlie. mh15

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Wednesday's—Catalogue Sale of Dry Goods, Silks, Embroideries, Fancy Goods, &c.

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TO MINERS!
Scotch Knitted Socks;
SCOTCH WOOLEN UNDERSHIRTS!
Scotch Woolen Drawers

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST GOODS IN THE MARKET.

McNICOL Bros., Government Street
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FOR CARIBOO.
Miners can now be Supplied
—AT THE—
St. Nicholas Clothing Store

WITH THE BEST AND CHEAPEST GOODS IN TOWN.

MOLESKIN PANTS, - -	$2 25
Flannel Shirts, (all wool) -	2 50
Heavy Serge Shirts, - - -	2 00
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Heavy Wool Pants and Hand-made Socks.

4-Point Blankets, $7.

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St. Nicholas Buildings, Government St.

A large assortment of Fine Clothing & Baltic Shirts per Napoleon III.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. fe23

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO
OFFER FOR SALE
Ex Napoleon III & Lockett:

LIQUORS,

BRANDY—Martell, in bulk;
Otard, do;
Godard, in case;
Renault's, do;
Vine Growers, in case and bulk;
Central Society, do do;
Imperial, do do;
Charente Vineyard, do do;
And various other Brands.
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Cos, case and bulk
Worthington's, do do;
Bernard's, do;
Lownde's, do;
WHISKEY—Royal Highland, in case and bulk
Islay, do do;
Campbeleton, do do;
Stewart's do do;
Harvey's, do do;
And other Brands.
RUM—Jamaica, in case and bulk;
Demarara, do;
And of every grade.
WINES & LIQUEURS—Sherry, of every grade in case and bulk;
Port, every grade, case and bulk;
Champagne, "Duc de Montebello;"
Claret, "St. Julien" & other brands;
Burgundy, in case and bulk;
Cherry Brandy;
Orange Bitters;
Ginger Brandy;
Do Wine;
Rum Shrub;
Creme de Rose, &c., &c;
GENEVA—De Kuyper's, in case and bulk;
Var Hoteymu; do do;
Herwig's, do do;
BEER—Morice Cox & Co. bottled and bulk;
Tennent's, do do;
Aitken's, do do;
Burton Brewery Co.'s, bottled;
Bass', do;
Allsopp's, bottled and bulk;

Groceries, Provisions, &c.

OILMAN'S STORES—Coward's, Molloy's, Millar's, Cameron's, Batty's, Keen's, &c., of every description;
OATMEAL & GROATS, Robinsons,
CHEESE, Cheddar;
BUTTER, Irish;
BACON, do;
SAGO;
SOAP, Steel's and Thornton's;
PRESERVED GINGER, Chow Chow, Price's Belmont Sperm Candles, Stearine Sperm Candles, Preserved Vegetables and Provisions, Tea, Sugar, Cossipore, Crushed and Loaf, Vinegar—Potts & Grimble's; Currants, in bbls.

HARDWARE, SHIP CHANDLERY, &c.

CUTLERY, Chains, Pig Iron, Iron Bedsteads, Gas Fittings, Earthenware, Glassware, Looking Glasses, Paving Stones, Rope, Navy Canvas, Seaming and Roping Twine.
WEIGHING MACHINES, "Pooley's Patent," t weigh from 42 cwt to 28 lbs.

Dry Goods, &c.

CLOTHING of the latest style and best make, Crimean Shirts, White Linen Shirts, Serge Shirts, Monkey Jackets, Boots & Shoes, Muslins, Union Table Covers, Kid Gloves, "Flobert's" superior quality, Blankets.

SUNDRIES,

PIPES, Paper Hangings, Vestas, Letchfords, Bell & Black's, Garden Seeds. mh18

SALE OF
UNCLAIMED GOODS.

Notice to whom it may Concern.

TEN DAYS AFTER THE DATE HERE of the following goods, in charge of the undersigned, will be sold at

At Public Auction,

TO DEFRAY EXPENSES, unless redeemed in the meantime, viz:

10 pkgs Zinc Sheets—meas. 5 feet by 7 feet
3 pkgs Ventilators,
1 pkg Eaves Gutters,
1 pkg Stack Pipes,
1 pkg Locks, &c., &c.,
1 pkg Lightning Conductors.

The above packages arrived by the East Lothian, in Nov. 1862, and are all marked—
"W D—broad arrow between
"Royal Eng'rs, Victoria, Vancouver Is."

EDWARD GREEN, Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., March 17, 1864. mh17 15t

Important to Farmers

THE SUBSCRIBERS OFFER FOR Sale, in lots to suit, a quantity of

Choice Seed Peas

Known as SAN JUAN PARTRIGE PEA.
CHEAP FOR CASH
—AT—
Victoria Produce Market, Yates St.
FEBRUARY 20, 1864.
mh23 1m J. H. TODD & CO.

Potatoes for Sale.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF EXCELlent Red Potatoes for sale at Constance Cove Farm in quantities to suit purchasers.

Apply on the premises to TERRENCE O'BRIAN, Overseer in charge. mh15 1m

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Under the immediate Patronage of

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WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE LYCEUM HALL, —ON THE— **Evening of the Grand Procession,** —GIVEN BY—

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As the number of Tickets to be sold is limited, an early application is requested.

Price of Tickets,........................$3 Each,

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J. HUNT.
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Of the Latest Style.

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—A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF—

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BRACES,
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AND HOSIERY;

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WHITE, DARK, MEDIUM & BLACK.

A FULL AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT in Sizes and Colors of Ladies' best quality FRENCH KID GLOVES, for sale wholesale or retail at

A. HOFFMAN'S,
Yates street, opposite Langley street.
mh20 1m2dp

MINING NOTICES.

Goldstream Quartz Crushing Company (Limited).

NOTICE.

AN ASSESSMENT OF FIVE DOLlars per share in the above Company, payable within three days from date, was this day made, payable to the Treasurer, Mr. A. J. Welch, between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock each day, at the temporary office of the Company, in Mr. J. H. Pitts' store, Fort street, between Langley and Wharf streets.

J. H. PITTS, Secretary.
March 17th, 1864. mh18 3t

Sooke Copper Mining Co. (Limited).

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders in the above Company will be held in the Room of the Stock and Exchange Board, Government street, on Monday next, the 21st inst., at 2 p. m.

By order of the President,
A. F. MAIN, Secretary.
mh16

Parmiter Quartz Mining Co. (Limited.)

SHAREHOLDERS IN THE ABOVE Company are requested to call and sign the Memorandum and Articles of Association, without delay, at the Office of GEORGE BARNETT, on Government Street.

Victoria, March 16th, 1864. 2

Alberni Mining Company.

BY A RESOLUTION OF THE PROvisional Committee of Management, a Call of Twenty-five Cents per share was this day made, payable to the Provisional Secretary within five days from date.

A. F. MAIN, Provl. Secy.
mh15

Blue Tent Company.

NOTICE.

AT A MEETING OF THE MEMBERS of the above Company, held this day, an Assessment was made of Five Dollars on each interest, payable to the undersigned, within five days from this date.

J. S. WILLIS, Secretary pro tem.
Victoria, V. I., 14th March, 1864.
☞ Office, next to D. Scott & Co's. Fort street.
mh15 td

Garibaldi Mining Company.

NOTICE.

AT A MEETING OF THE COMMITtee of Management of the above Company held this day, an assessment was made of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per Share, on the Capital Stock of the Company payable to the undersigned, within five days from this date.

A. R. GREEN, Secretary, pro tem.
Victoria, V. I., 12th March, 1864.
Office, Corner of Fort and Langley Streets.

ARTESIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

A LIMITED NUMBER OF THE SHARES of the Stock of this Company has been placed in the hands of the Board of Directors, for sale. Persons wishing to purchase may apply to the Secretary of Treasurer, who, with the Chairman, are the only parties authorized to transfer the same.

J. P. CRANFORD, Secretary.
C. C. PENDERGAST, Treasurer.
mh3

Antler Bed Rock Flume Company (Limited.)

THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHO have not yet signed the Memorandum of Association, and Articles of Association, are requested to call at the Office of the Company without delay and pay the necessary call on allotment of Five Dollars ($5) per share.

J. J. COCHRANE, SECRETARY, Government street.

N B. Those persons who are desirous of subscribing, and have as yet neglected to do so, are advised to apply immediately, as the list will probably be filled in a few days. fe22

J.K. SUTER & CO.,
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Cariboo Mining Agents,

OFFER FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING celebrated RICH CLAIMS in Cariboo:

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All the above are offered for sale by well known miners. Apply to
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REINHART & BRO.
HAVE RECEIVED
Ex "Napoleon III."

100 CASES
ENGLISH & FRENCH
CUSTOM-MADE
CLOTHING

By far the best assortment ever imported to this Colony

—ALSO—

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Hosiery and Gent's Under-Garments.

Also, a small Invoice of Velvet, Pile and Tapestry

CARPETS,

OF THE BEST MANUFACTORY IN ENGLAND.

A great variety of the best brands

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Pickles and Sardines,

All of which will be sold on most favorable terms to the Trade.

REINHART BROS., Wharf street
ja22 3m

TO FARMERS
—AND—
Agriculturalists.

MESSRS. ELLIOTT & STUART BEG to announce that at the Autumnal Show of the Agricultural Society they will be prepared to offer a premium of Fifty Dollars for the best parcel of Chevalier Barley.

The Barley to be the produce of Vancouver Island and a sample of the growth of not less than five acres

Lion Brewery, Victoria, March 14, 1864. mh16

Members of Caledonia Benevolent Association, Attention.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUESTED TO meet at T. Gorrie's Fort street, that the Association may join in the Procession in honor of His Excellency Captain Kennedy, C. B., on his arrival here.

The signal for assembly will be the ringing of the bell of the Union Hook and Ladder Company.

By order of the Chairman.
JOHN ROSS, Secretary.
mh14 td

Victoria Fire Department—Attention.

ACCORDING TO THE PROgramme as announced by a Committee appointed for that purpose, at a meeting of Officers and Delegates of the Victoria Fire Department, you are hereby requested to meet at your respective Houses in FULL UNIFORM, and from there assemble at the House of Union Hook and Ladder Co., WITH APPARATUS, to participate in the ceremony of receiving His Excellency Capt ARTHUR EDWARD KENNEDY, C. B., on his arrival here.

The signal for assembling on the arrival of His Excellency, will be the ringing of the bell of Union Hook and Ladder Co. JOHN C. KEENAN,
mh14 Chief Engineer Vict. Fire Dept.

Union Hook and Ladder Company.

BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, of the Victoria Fire Department, the members of the Union Hook and Ladder Co., are requested to assemble at the Truck House in FULL UNIFORM to participate in the ceremony of receiving His Excellency CAPT. ARTHUR E. KENNEDY, C. B., on his arrival here.

The signal for assembling will be the ringing of the U. H. & L. Co. bell.

Those members not present to answer the roll call WILL BE FINED according to the laws of the Company.

H. E. C. WILLOUGHBY,
mh 17 td Secretary, U. H. & L. Co.

P. M. BACKUS,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant
SALESROOM.
No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street
mh13

UNDERWRITERS'
SALE.

P. M. BACKUS WILL SELL TO-MORROW

Tuesday, March 22,

At 11 o'clock A. M.

On Hudson Bay Company's Wharf,

BY ORDER OF THE CONSIGNEES,

For Account of whom it may Concern,

THE FOLLOWING GOODS,

DAMAGED
EX
'Sea Snake'

R in dia—240 cs Stout, each 4 doz qts
C in dia— 5 cs Bacon, 10 cwt
C— 500 cs Soap, London, each 28 lbs
D C & Co in dia—50 cs Brandy, Imperial
D in dia—200 cs Old Tom, "Lowndes"
L & Co—25 cs Brandy, Old Champagne } 7 cs do Chas Lacoste }
D C & Co—12 cs Old Tom, Swaine, Boord & Co's
K R B & Co in dia. 90 cases, as follows—
No. 202-226, ea 4 doz, hf lb bottles Mustard
527-251, ea do do tins do
252-276, ea 4 doz, 25 lb tins Oatmeal
277-301, ea 4 doz, Groats
302-311, ea 20 doz, 2 oz tins Spice
312-321, ea 10 doz, 4 oz do

TERMS CASH.

—ALSO—

TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS,

D W & Co—1¼ csk of Brandy, samp. of 30
10 cs do samp. of 142
H N D & Co—1¼ csk Port samp. of 100
D in dia—1 csk Port samp. of 20
D in dia—1 csk of Sherry samp. of 20
D in dia—1 hhd Rum samp. of 10
DC ov. G—1 1-4 csk Pale Brandy " of 50
" 1 csk of Dark " " of 10
" 10 cs of Brandy, Chareate, —samp. of 200
" 10 cs do Imperial " of 300
D C & Co in dia—1 1-4 csk of Brandy, samp. of 6
G W in dia—5 cs of G. Wine, samp. of 65
O B in dia—5 cs of O. Bitters, samp. of 60

TERMS—All sums under $200, cash; over that amount, 60 days approved endorsed papers. mh16

—ALSO—

Single grape leaf—1 qr csk superior Port, sample of 21
C in dia—1 pipe Catalonian Port, samp. of 10
H in dia—10 cs Ormes' Old Tom, samp of 400
G in dia—10 cs Stewart's fine Malt Whisky, sample of 63
H & B—2 qr csks Pale Hennessy,
H & B—1 qr csk Pale Brandy, sample of 7
" 10 cs Geneva, sample of 110
1 qr csk Geneva, sample of 10
H in dia over S & B in dia—5 cases Pale Brandy, sample of 12
10 cases Champagne, sample of 100
V over J C in dia, M outside—2 hf pipes fine Brandy
C in dia—1 pun. Jamaica Rum
W in heart—1 qr cask Pale Sherry
S B—2 csks Claret
4 in dia—1 do do
A in dia—10 csks, ea 4 doz, Pale Ale
J C over K M—5 cs hf pts Champagne
K S & Co—6 cs La Rose Claret, ea 2 doz
5 do do ea 3 doz
mh17
S B in C over H W—5 cs Highland Whisky, sample of 100
C S B over J W—5 cs Islay Whisky, sample of 100
H & B—1 1-4 csk Whisky—sample of 20
mh18
Dia—1 ¼ cask Sherry, sample of 25;
Double Triangle—1 do, sample of 10;

PEREMPTORY SALE.

The Lease of the Ground

Situated at the corner of

BROAD AND FORT STREETS,

With the Brick and Wooden Buildings erected thereon, known as the

Royal Exchange!

The Lease expires in 1877, and the ground-rent is very low.

ALSO—The choice selection of

LIQUORS, FURNITURE,

And every other article necessary for carrying on a first-class business.

There is a good business connection with this house, and it is one of the best inducements ever offered to capitalists for investment in this city.

The sole is positive, as the proprietor must leave the colony immediately.

For further particulars apply to G. J. WIGHT, Government street, or on the premises to T. B. WILLIAMS. mh1 1m

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and as a Mild Aperient for delicate constitutions, more especially for Ladies and Children Combined with the

ACIDULATED LEMON SYRUP,

it forms an agreeable Effervescing Draught, in which its aperient qualities are much increased. During Hot Seasons, and in hot climates, the regular use of this simple and elegant remedy has been found highly beneficial.

Manufactured (with the utmost attention to strength and purity) by

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172 New Bond street, London;
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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, March 21, 1864.

COMMERCIAL.

Auction Sales this Day.

DANIEL SCOTT & CO. will sell, at 11 a. m , at salesroom, Candles, Bacon, Knives and Forks Beef, Pork, Ale, Whisky, Cider, Crockeryware, Looking Glasses, Quicksilver, Books, Horses, &c. Also, the property of the late Dr. Clerjon.

J. A. McCREA will sell at 11 a. m., at salesroom, Vinegar, Tea, Ginger, Chow Chow, Sago, Candles, Glassware, Sauces, Cossipore Sugar, Paper Hangings, Cheese, China Oil, Sal Soda, Earthenware, Fishing Notes, Looking Glasses, Beef, Canvas, Crockery, English Pickles.

EXPORTS—Per Jenny Jones, to Portland—85 pkgs ale and porter, 16 pgs coffee and tea, 48 pgs coal and blacksmith's tools, 6 pkgs cuttlery, 2 pgs fish, 100 pig iron, 2887 pgs iron and hardware, 80 cs paint, 1 pg mdse, 8 ygs tin ware. Value $28,-000.

PASSENGERS—Per Jenny Jones, to Portland—P J Kelly, John Murray, Joseph Brown and wife, H Harrington, Wm Jeffray, P Slagg, Jas Walton, Wm Dillan, H McGuire, J L Smith, O F Kellogg.

☞ The sloop John Thornton arrived on Saturday afternoon from Utsalady with 130,000 ft. lumber. The ship Napoleon III. was loading with lumber for China and will sail this week.

FOR PORTLAND.—The schooner Jenny Jones, James Jones master, sailed for Portland direct on Saturday morning with a full cargo of merchandise and 12 passengers.

FROM STEILACOOM.—The sloop Letitia, Capt. Adams, arrived from Steilacoom, W. T., yesterday with a cargo of produce.

☞ The sloop Lady Franklin arrived yesterday from Cowichan, with 2000 staves and shingles.

CITY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY, March 19th, 1864.

The intelligence brought by the Eliza Anderson Tuesday morning had an immediate effect on our market, and in an hour or two after her arrival breadstuffs and grain were held at an enormous advance, in the full expectation of a still greater rise.

Owing to the continued drought in San Francisco it had been anticipated that an advance in flour and grain would shortly take place but dealers never anticipated a rise so rapid and marked.

Since the receipt of advices from Portland flour is held firm at $8 per bbl., and all kinds of grain have advanced from ¼c to ½c per lb. Even at these rates holders seem indifferent to making sales. During the week $8,000 were refused for 1000 bbls of flour (best brand), but small parcels have changed hands at $8.

Transactions for the up-country trade continued brisk and large quantities of goods are moving off for Fraser river.

We note no imports during the week and only one shipment for foreign parts per schooner Jenny Jones, which sailed yesterday for Portland with a miscellaneous cargo valued at $28,000, particulars of which are furnished elsewhere.

The following may be considered the present quotations:

FLOUR—(best brand) firm at $8; only two or three holders of stocks of any magnitude. Super extra advanced $1 50@1 75.
BARLEY—3½c upward tendency.
OATS—3½c upward tendency.
BEANS—3@3¼.
BACON AND HAMS—Cal 22½@25.
BUTTER—Isthmus 37½@40.
POTATOES—1c ₱ lb.

IMPORTS.

Per sloop LETITIA, from Puget Sound, 8 tons hay, 4 tons oats, 40 doz eggs, 150 lbs fresh butter, 4 doz chickens.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

March 18—Slp Northern Light, Montfort, Port Angelos.

CLEARED.

March 18—Slp Annie, Elvin, Saanich.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS
—FOR THE—
WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 19th MARCH. 1864.

DAY.	TEMP. OF AIR. Max.	Min.	Mean.	BAROMETER. Max.	Min.	Mean	WIND. Direction.	Force	W'THR.
Sunday...	61.4	43.0	49.19	29.935	29.880	29.941	N by E to NNW	2-1-2	bc & bv
Monday...	61.3	42.3	50.86	30.035	30.000	30.016	N by W to NNE	3-0-2	bv & bc
Tuesday...	65.1	43.4	48.89	29.985	29.960	29.973	NNW to N	4-1-0	bc & bv
Wednesd.	64.8	34.3	50.75	29.955	29.880	29.920	N by E to S by W	2-0-2	bc & bv & oc
Thursday.	65.5	37.0	50.79	29.820	29.730	29.757	ENE	3-0-0	c & bc & b
Friday...	65.0	32.8	50.95	29.830	29.780	29.806	E N to S SE	1-0-3	bc
Saturday.	64.8	33.2	50.00	29.835	29.815	29.823	S SE to S	4-5-2	c & bc

Minimum temperature during week.............32.8
Maximum.............65.5
A Parhelion 22 deg. to right of sun, 5 30 P M. 17th, March.

Victoria Observatory, V. I. DAVID WALKER, M.D.

DIED.

In this city, 19th instant, William, only son of William and Mary Bellion, aged 8 years and 6 months.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster on Saturday evening with a few passengers. She brought no news of interest from the Cariboo country.

The *Columbian* says: "On the 16th day of March, A. D., 1864, and year of British Columbia six, the great seal of the colony arrived therein for the first time, having up to that date remained in Victoria, the capital of another colony; along with it came the fag-end of the official staff in this colony.—The Legislative Council will re-assemble on the 23rd inst.

Customs returns, week ending Saturday, 12th March, 1864: "Duties, £1777 1s. 1d.; harbor dues, £19 1s. 10d.; head money, £29 12s. 0d.; tonnage dues, £122 5s. 0d. Total, £1947 19s. 11d., or $9447 77. Number of passengers entering at this port during same period, 148.

VIEWS OF THE WAR.—The Panoramic Exhibition was open on Saturday evening to a large house. Mr. Bachelder gave an afternoon performance for the accommodation of families and schools, which was well attended, and the various scenes representing land and sea fights brought under review occasioned intense excitement among the juvenile spectators. On Tuesday evening the last exhibition will be given, on which occasion Mr. John Allen, the leader of the orchestra, who has added so much to the attraction of the entertainment, will take a benefit. The music on this night will alone be worth the money, several talented amateurs having proffered their services to Mr. Allen.

GLASS HOUSES.—The *Columbian*, which has been lately throwing stones at its Island contemporaries, for filching news, without giving it credit, has its Saturday's edition nearly filled with cribbings from the COLONIST, for which no acknowledgment of any sort is vouchsafed. All right neighbor! you are welcome to make our news your own (though you have the best of the bargain), but don't sing out again if the shoe should perchance pinch by being put on the other leg.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY.—The day of the arrival of Governor Kennedy will be observed as a general holiday, in accordance with the proclamation of his Worship the Mayor, which appears in another part of our columns. No paper will therefore be issued from our office on the morning after the arrival.

RETURN MATCH.—A meeting of cricketers will be held at Mr. Keenan's, Fashion Hotel, at 8 o'clock this evening, for the purpose of arranging a return match between the Caribooites and Victorians, and the disposal of other business.

A NATIVE GATHERING.—The Cowichan, Nanaimo, and Chemainus Indians have collected in large numbers for a grand *potlatch*. They had a "big drunk," some white people following their example.

CRICKET.

A match at this manly game was played on Saturday at Beacon Hill, between eleven Caribooites and eleven Victorians, in which the former were victorious by one run only, they having obtained 126 runs to their adversaries 125, after one of the best contested matches ever played in this colony. The play of several of both the elevens elicited from the spectators the most rapturous applause. On the part of the Victoria eleven Mr. Howell deserves the greatest praise for his style both of handling the willow, as also his steady bowling. Mr. Clarke, on the same side, made a brilliant innings of 25 runs, and his fielding was that of a genuine Cricketer. The bowling of Mr. Smith on the same side received the well deserved applause of all the true lovers of "round hand" for the true pitch and steady delivery during the match. The Captain of the Victoria Eleven, Mr. Thomas Wallace, is, so far as we have seen, up to the present time unequalled as a wicket-keeper, and his generalship of the men in the field deserves the greatest credit. Mr. Simon, as a long-stop, appeared to be quite at home. Mr. Green's splendid innings of 29 was obtained by some magnificent drives and leg hits, which it was a pleasure to witness.

On behalf of the Caribooites, the play of their Captain—Captain Layton—was of the most masterly description. His defence of the "timber" being almost perfection and his bowling was most effective. The batting of Mr. Chisholm, who obtained the largest score of the day—34—was most loudly and deservedly applauded for its style and steadiness. The playing of Mr. Ballantine was both effective and rapid, his score of 18 having been obtained in a very short innings. The match at the critical juncture—namely, "the two last men"—was nobly maintained for their side by Messrs. Davies and Hensley, both of whom played with the greatest steadiness. The latter gentleman, we regret to say, is about to leave the colony, which is a great loss to the lovers of cricket and the private friends he has made since his arrival amongst us. The playing ground was tastefully decorated by red and white flags on the boundary line, presented to the gentlemen engaged in the match by Miss Burnes and Miss Griffin. The match attracted a large number of spectators, amongst whom we were glad to observe a great many ladies. During the match several beautiful pieces of music were performed by the band under the able directorship of Mr. Maguire, to whom the thanks of every one is due for his kindness in such an important contribution to the day's amusements. Last, but not least, we can vouch for the luxurious repast furnished by the favorite caterer of the past season, Mrs. McDonald.

The following is the score:

VICTORIANS—FIRST INNINGS.

Wallace, b Hensley	9
Alport, b Layton	8
Bacon, b Plummer	1
Clarke, b Layton	25
Edwards, b Layton, 1 b w	1
Green, b Chisholm	29
Howell, b Plummer, c Chisholm	18
Keenan, b Layton, c Hensley	2
Smith, not out	0
Symons, b Layton	5
Wilson, b Layton	2
Byes	6
Wides	18
Leg Byes	1
Total	125

CARIBOOITES—FIRST INNINGS.

Layton, b Smith, c Keenan	12
Ballantine, run out	16
Black, b Smith, c Howell	0
Chisholm, hit wicket	34
Davies, run out	3
Dewdney, 1 c w	0
Hensley, not out	6
Howard, b Smith	0
Howlett, b Smith	7
Penfold, b Howard	18
Plummer, b Smith, c Clark	11
Byes	11
Wides	6
Leg Byes	2
Total	126

VOLUNTEER RIFLES.—A meeting, numerously and respectably attended, was held in Pattrick's Hall on Saturday evening, for the purpose of organizing a volunteer rifle company. The chair was taken by Dr. Powell, M. D., and Mr. Allen was elected Secretary *pro. tem.* A resolution was passed styling the corps the Victoria Rifles, and a committee consisting of Messrs. D. M. Laing, E. C. Waddington, J. Wilkie, Daniel Scott and D. B. Blair, was appointed to engage a drill instructor, and secure a drill-ground. The meeting decided that the company should be drilled, for one month, without distinction of rank, at the end of which time the officers shall be elected. This is a very prudent move, and if carried out, will turn greatly to the success and efficiency of the company. Past experience has shown that nothing would be more detrimental to the interest of the corps than the presence of unpopular or unfit persons in an official capacity. We are glad to learn that several of the gentlemen on the managing committee have had considerable experience as volunteers, one of them having had command of a large number of troops on a field-day at home.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—An accident occurred on Saturday afternoon, which it is feared may be attended with fatal consequences. It appears that a man named Thomas Lavis, a native of Torquay, Devonshire, aged 34 years, was working in company with two others on a new building at Rock Bay Tannery. The scaffolding suddenly gave way, and the two latter saved themselves by jumping on the first floor, but Lavis being in the act of fixing a piece of timber, was overbalanced by it, and fell to the ground, dislocating his back-bone, and otherwise injuring his spine. The unfortunate one, though lying in a very precarious state, bears his sufferings with great calmness, and has throughout retained full possession of his faculties. Drs. Davie, Simonton and Walker are in attendance, and hold out some hopes of his recovery.

OMINOUS CHANGE.—The glorious spring weather which we have enjoyed for nearly a fortnight was yesterday dispelled by a change of wind with the full moon, accompanied by heavy clouds and passing showers of rain.—There were some evil forebodings for the expected reception proceedings of to-day, but the public have made up their minds for a gala day, and Pluvius will have to open all his flood gates before he can damp the ardor of the people.

FIRST SALE.—Messrs. Duncan and George, auctioneers, held their first sale on Saturday morning, and notwithstanding the fact of several other sales going on at the same time, it was very well attended. A champagne lunch, got up in excellent style, was provided for all comers. We have no doubt that the new "Knights of the hammer," from their well known business capacities, will secure a fair proportion of business.

☞ This morning, at 10 o'clock, the Hebrew Benevolent Society will be presented by the ladies of the same association with a splendid banner.

THE SUMMARY COURT is adjourned until Thursday next.

BRITISH EXPORTS.—In the eleven months ended November 30th last, the exports of British and Irish produce and manufactures from the United Kingdom amounted in value to the extraordinary sum of 132 millions sterling, being an increase on the corresponding period of 1862 of nearly 19 millions. Assuming that the shipments effected last month have maintained the ordinary average of Decembers, and of this there is hardly a doubt, the entire year's exports would yield a grand total of at least 142 millions in value, an amount in excess of that in 1860—a year remarkable for the unparalleled magnitude of our external trade—by upwards of six millions sterling. The commodities which have contributed in the largest degree to the augmentation are: Cotton yarn and cotton manufactures, to the extent of nearly 8 millions; woollen yarn and woollen manufactures, 3 millions and upwards; linen yarn and linen manufactures, 1¾ millions; iron and steel, 1¾ millions; copper, £1,172,705; haberdashery, £688,415; hardwares and cutlery, £419,339; apparel and slops, £339,181; machinery, £250,720; beer and ale, £178,358; paper, £99,961; pickles and sauces, £84,850. The only deficiencies to be found are as follows: Arms, ammunition, &c., £436,269; coals, £6,471; leather manufactures, £250,331; silk, thrown, £199,377; silk, twist and yarn, £59,994; spirits, British, £64,095; sheep and lambs' wool, £46,706.

GOLD STREAM.

Tempted by the delightful weather, and being desirous to see for ourselves the progress being made in the various claims, we took a run out to the mining districts on Gold Stream on Saturday. The roads are in excellent condition, and the grand scenery along the trail greatly enhances the pleasure of the ride. After crossing the beautiful plain at Colwood, and skirting the charmingly picturesque Langford's Lake, the traveller arrives at the "St. Nicholas," a commodious log cabin, where abundant supplies of the "creature comforts" are to be had, and where he feels well disposed to refresh himself after the 10 miles gallop over the pleasant road between Victoria and that place. Descending the steep bank from the St. Nicholas, we reach Gold Stream, where we find the indefatigable Smallbones busily at work, just completing a large ditch, through which he intends diverting the waters of the stream, fully expecting to reap a golden harvest from the exposed channel. Responding to the prospector's invitation to alight and examine the "prospects" for ourselves, we are shown various specimens of rock, both auriferous and argentiferous, and are assured by "the indefatigable," that they are rich in the precious metals. We "don't know rock," however, and accordingly listen with becoming attention to the dilations of the knowing Smallbones on the promising indications of gold, silver, copper, etc., so plainly visible in the masses of rough looking stone before us. "Wash a pan of dirt for you, gentlemen?" says the indefatigable, and on our ready assent, he takes a few shovels-full of gravelly earth from the bank of the stream, and after five minutes' skilful manipulation, the result is most satisfactorily evident in several grains or "colors" of bright, beautiful, gold, in each of the three pans washed. Smallbones is confident of succeeding in taking out very good pay from the banks of the stream. Ascending the high bank on the north side of the stream, we canter gaily on for half a-mile, when we reach the hospitable cabin of the Messrs. Matthews, shareholders in the American and Blue Tent quartz companies, whose lodes are in the hill just opposite the dwelling. Here again we see some very fine looking specimens of rock said to be gold bearing, and which certainly looks very well. From this we begin to ascend the mountain, over the rough steep rocky winding trail, "the $20,000 road," as the miners mockingly call it, our horses having enough to do to scramble up its difficult ascent. About two miles further on, a white tent glimmers through the trees, far up on the mountain side, a rough finger-board below it on the trail indicating that there the Muir company have located themselves. Half a mile further on we come to the original quartz claim on the creek, the Douglas Company, and here we see the first signs of work being extensively carried on. Close below the trail is a very well constructed errastras, just completed and ready for grinding, while a couple of sturdy miners are busy breaking the burnt quartz into pieces the size of a walnut, preparatory for crushing. Above the trail an immense pile of *debris* shows where the company have driven a large cutting some 40 or 50 feet into the hill, to strike the quartz vein which is visible on the crest of the ridge. A swarthy looking Mexican watering his horse at the little stream which trickles down the mountain, gives the scene a Californian aspect. Onward and upward for half a mile along the stony tortuous bridle path, the bleak hill-side dotted here and there with dead and fallen firs, their trunks blackened from the effects of some long-past bush-fire, and another finger board points up the mountain to where the Canada company have erected a substantial log cabin, occupied by a stalwart miner keeping "possession," and awaiting the action of the shareholders. Still further up the "Vancouver" or "Great Britain," have located a very promising looking ledge, and have a considerable quantity of tools, &c. on the ground, but as yet are doing nothing. They intend, however, to get out half a ton of rock, and send it to San Francisco by the next steamer. Coming back to the trail, another half mile brings us to the side trail to the Parmiter, which lies a few hundred yards below the main trail. Dismounting from our horses at the cabin, a winding path conducts us to the Parmiter quartz lode, situated in the most picturesque spot in the vicinity of Gold Stream. The little stream comes brawling down the rocky glen, throws itself over a ledge of 15 or 20 feet into a deep narrow cleft in the solid rock, from which a tiny cloud of spray rises in the air, and after flowing quietly between the bright green moss-covered walls of rock for a few yards, is suddenly precipitated in a broad feathery sheet 100 feet into the gorge below. Two stout cedars bend lovingly towards each other from each side of the fall, while far down in the valley the tall tops of giant pines sway to and fro in the breeze.—The whole scene is grandly beautiful, and is of itself well worthy of a ride to Goldstream. Hurrying back to the trail, some 800 or 900 yards brings us to the Britannia Company's lode, the last and farthest up the Goldstream valley. Here we find four men hard at work, with a large quantity of rock excavated, and an errastras nearly ready for work, the men being employed in laying the floor and leveling the horse-track. The company have a snug log-cabin on their ground, situated in a thickly wooded dell, and surrounded with immense pines, the very monarchs of the forest, many of them being six, eight, and even ten feet in diameter, their immense columnar trunks towering far up into the air. Highly satisfied with the appearance of this claim, and indeed with that of most of those we visited, we turned our faces homeward, meditating on the glorious future of the fair city of Victoria when our Goldstream quartz lodes shall have developed themselves into a rival to the world-renowned Washoe.

CARRYING FIRE ARMS.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST: SIR,—Among the Brown's and Jones' of these colonies, it is not unreasonable to suppose that we have a sprinkling of the tribe of Smith; but of all the blacksmiths and hammersmiths that I ever heard of, from Smith the Mormon prophet downwards, *our* Smith seems to be the most wonderful.

I am not conversant with the rise and progress of the Victoria Colored Regiment of Foot, although I have heard of the rise and fall of the British Grenadier of Victoria, but this I know, that the former have been at considerable expense, supplying themselves with new uniforms, colors, etc., to make a good appearance before the new governor, and have spent much time in rendering themselves as perfect in formation and drill as possible.

Whether it was jealousy or envy that forbade the Pioneer Company joining in the procession, I do not enquire, but as we citizens are quite willing that the only defenders we have got, should join in giving Captain Kennedy a glad welcome, it was not likely that these two satyrs should rule the roost.

There appears, however, to be in this city a divinity! a power! "a cherub which sits up aloft," which I hear of, for the first time, and the "cherub" rejoices in the euphonious cognomen of (Jehosophat!) Smith.

Mr. Superintendent Smith has notified to the Pioneer Company that they will not be allowed to carry arms at the procession, at least so I am credibly informed.

Mr. Superintendent Smith informs the Caledonian Benevolent Association that swords, dirks or other arms appertaining to the Highland dress, must be dispensed with on the occasion of the reception of the Governor.

Who, I ask, is Mr. Superintendent Smith, who gives forth orders the like of which never issued from any throne?

Is he the officer administering the Government of the Colony, that he forbids the Pioneer Company marching under the arms given them by that Government?

And should he be, what in all the earth has he or any man to do with the Caledonian Association, or to say what they should wear or not wear on any occasion?

This meddling on the part of this man Smith, Mr. Editor, is a piece of gratuitous interference which could only be excused if martial law was the order of the day and we were a mob of demagogues of the worst description, and I aver, if that was the case, there is no people on the face of the earth, down trodden as some may be, who would suffer for a moment the impertinent interference of a "Mr. Superintendent Smith."

FREEDOM.

[We would remind our correspondent that Superintendent Smith is not the Chief and responsible officer of Police. We can hardly fancy that the Police authorities can have intended to issue such a mandate as the prohibition of firearms to a Rifle corps, or the wearing of dirks, &c., by a Scotch society upon a public occasion like the reception of a new Governor. There must have been some misapprehension somewhere, as we know of no law which could be construed to forbid the carrying of such arms.—ED]

PIDWELL & CO.

EDITOR OF BRITISH COLONIST: SIR,—Permit me to inform you that some of your readers imagine you encouraged Pidwell & Co. to write that defence of their ungrammatical "mottoes" in which they try to make "liber" (free) an adjective in the masculine gender, agree with Victoria, manifestly feminine. In the same effusion, "Semper" is raised to the dignity of an adjective, though it had hitherto been always content with the humble position of an adverb. Others however, and the great majority, believe that the *Chronicle* folks were the *mentors*, some of whom have become notorious for strutting—jackdaw-like—before the public in borrowed plumes. I think it was Mr. Attorney General Cary, who alleged that this colony was too young for self-government. *Alias* had not sufficient knowledge. *Alias* was too ignorant. And assuredly a stranger could not help arriving at a similar conclusion, were he to judge of the intelligence of the whole community by the lucubrations of *some* of those who push themselves forward on all public occasions. Dear Mr. Editor, do for my sake, and that of the literary reputation of all the schoolmasters on the Island, impress on the minds of Pidwell & Co., "et id genus omne," that a little learning is a dangerous thing, and that they had better, in future, confine themselves to the vernacular of the humble aboriginals, as in that case the critics will have no very definite standard to impale them on.

Yours, ONE OF THE CROWD.

ADDRESSES TO GOVERNOR KENNEDY.

We find in an old edition of the Munster *News*, copies of several addresses delivered by the inhabitants of Western Australia to Captain Kennedy on his retirement from the governorship of that colony in the early part of 1862. If the feelings and sentiments uttered by people who spoke from an experience of over six years may be accepted as of any value, it is satisfactory to know that Captain Kennedy brings with him the highest testimonials and "an unexceptional character from his last place." Indeed it is seldom that the departure of a governor evokes a more spontaneous expression of admiration and regret than appears to have been the case when Capt. Kennedy's administration in Western Australia was brought to a close. The following were the addresses delivered. From the land owners and inhabitants of Murray district; inhabitants of Freemantle, (the principal port of Western Australia); the Executive Council; Chairman and Committee of the Swan River Mechanics' Institute; Chairman and Members of the Perth City Council; Inhabitants of Perth; Members of the Civil Service of the Crown in Western Australia. These addresses severally record their high sense of the ability, urbanity and patience evinced by Governor Kennedy on all occasions during his official reign, and congratulate him on the marked progress made by the colony under his administration.—They further express their gratitude for the unvarying liberality, kindness, and courtesy, manifested by His Excellency in private life. From the tenor of the addresses we may also judge that Capt. Kennedy is himself a hard working man. One of the addresses thus speaks: "High offices are too often regarded as if designed to promote enjoyment of a luxurious ease through the committal to subordinate officers of the fatigue and worry of business; neither the dignity of your station, nor the great ability with which it has been associated in your Excellency's person, has led you to claim an exemption from close daily application to the important business of your trust."

THE GOVERNOR'S LADY.

It must have afforded Mrs. Kennedy and her amiable family no small degree of pleasure on the eve of their departure from an affectionate people with whom they had been associated for nearly seven years to have received the following very complimentary address from the ladies of Fremantle, Western Australia, accompanied by other and more enduring tokens of their regard and esteem:

Address to Mrs. Kennedy from Ladies and Gentlewomen of Western Australia.

TO MRS. KENNEDY.—On the eve of your departure from Western Australia, we have ventured to hope that some slight testimonial from your friends in Fremantle may not be unacceptable to you.

The little offering of which we now beg the acceptance by yourself and your daughters, may not be of any great intrinsic worth, but we feel sure that the kindly feelings towards yourself and your family which have prompted our offer will give them a value in your eyes.

We can assure you that the amiable manners and uniform courtesy which have marked the residence of yourself and family in this Colony, will be long remembered by us; and we trust our little token of esteem and goodwill may serve in after years to remind you of happy days spent among us, and of your good friends in Western Australia.

With many kind wishes for the future happiness and prosperity of yourself, your husband and your family, we beg to subscribe ourselves, your hearty well wishers. (Here follow about 40 signatures.)

THE WAR IN POLAND.

The *Patrie* mentions that several mercantile houses at Warsaw having been closed by the Russian authorities, and the proprietors consequently deprived of the means of meeting their pecuniary engagements, the merchants in Paris, Lyons, Mulhouse and Strasbourg, to whom they are indebted, have applied to the Minister of Foreign Affairs to protect their interests. A communication has consequently been made on the subject to the French Consul at Warsaw, and the French Minister at St. Petersburg. Some of the French merchants have sent the power of attorney to the French Consul at Warsaw, to act for them.

A German journal mentions a new and polite method of banishment, as now practised at Warsaw. A few days back General Korff sent for a young man named Fanshowe, the son of a Russian General and Senator, and told him that, in consideration of his father's services, he himself should not be arrested, and that he had only to give his word of honor that, on the following day, at six o'clock in the morning, he would be in the Faubourg de Praga, ready to leave for a distant place in Russia. M. Fanshowe gave the required promise, and was sent off the following day, but whither no one knows.

The Russian authorities in Warsaw are reported to have celebrated Christmas day by a fresh and extensive arrest of citizens.

The *Courrier de Walna*, of the 26th ult., announces that Lieut. Dominique Malekki had been shot, having been found guilty of passing over to the insurgents.

Advices from Warsaw state that the agents of General Berg in that city have commenced enforcing the signature of addresses expressing loyalty to the Czar. The first addresses submitted to the inhabitants for signature were taken round in the Jewish quarter of the town. M. Pezowuski, the substitute of Archbishop Felinski, was required by an agent of the government to issue a pastoral letter recommending the signature of the addresses, but he refused to comply.

The Warsaw official journal of the 24th ult. contains the following declarations:—"1, There is no intention at present to raise recruits in the Kingdom of Poland. 2. There are arrests, transportation, and imprisonment only because the government holds the thread of a vast conspiracy which is ruining the country. The depositions of the accused lead to the discovery of their accomplices. Assassination, though less frequent, is still continued; the life of Major Rotkirsch was attempted the day before yesterday. As to the order given to landed proprietors to quit Warsaw and to return to their country mansions, it is not to be regarded as a measure of severity, but as an act of necessity, as their presence is indispensable now that the question of the peasants is to be brought to a conclusion. 3. It is not intended, as it was falsely stated, to convert the great hospital into a barrack. 4. The rumor of the annexation of the governments of Plok and of Augustow to the western provinces of the Empire is equally destitute of foundation."

The same journal announces the capture of the Italian Major Pizani by the Russian troops at the village of Ternowka, in the palatinate of Lublin, where he was fighting with the detachment commanded by Choumski.

The Squire's Indiscretion Rebuked by a Ghost.

The descendants of the "Squire," who is the hero of the strange story, continue to occupy the enviable position of an ancient country family. Less than a century ago the Squire alluded to was guilty of the indiscretion of marrying a young woman in a very humble station of life—a proceeding stigmatised by his relatives as an unpardonable breach of family obligations. Nevertheless, the headstrong Squire, Mr. Burnett, as I will call him, not only completed the *mesalliance*, but determined to make on behalf of his lowly bride a post-nuptial settlement, which promised to be highly detrimental to the interests of his probable successors. It happened that he was one night busily engaged in examining the draft of the proposed settlement. He was in his study, situated on the first floor; raising his eyes for a moment he became suddenly aware of a head opposite to his own, which he instantly recognized as that of his deceased father. The first moment of awe and astonishment passed away, yet the head remained fixed and frowning on him, while a shadowy hand seemed to extend itself in the direction of the papers that lay on the table. Determined to ascertain whether or not he was the victim of some strange optical delusion, Mr. Burnett rose from his chair, and advanced upon the spectre. It retired before him, seeming to glide round the room encircled by a kind of mist which blurred the outlines, but left the phantom visible. After some vain attempts to reach it, Mr. B— abandoned the pursuit, and descending to the lower apartments, in one of which his young wife was seated, he put on an appearance of indifference, and requested her to run up to the study, and bring down a paper which he had left upon the table. He would at least have the testimony of other senses besides his own. A few moments after the young lady had departed on her errand, a piercing shriek from above alarmed the household. Mr. Burnett rushed upstairs, his servants following. His wife was lying insensible on the floor. On being restored to consciousness she declared that she had seen the head and shoulders of her husband's father, the face wearing an angry and threatening expression—and the whole, as it were, enveloped in a cloud—'How,' enquired the Squire, 'could you recognise my father, whom I am sure you never saw?' 'It was the exact image of his portrait in the dining-room,' was the answer, 'but with a very stern expression.'"—*Strange Things Among Us.*

MOURAVIEFF'S RULE IN LITHUANIA.—The following circular has been issued by Mouravieff, dated the 10th (22nd) of December, 1863:—"By my circular of the 30th of November, (12th December) I directed lists of the nobles and the whole population to be drawn up in all districts. The chief object of this was to purify the country of all persons of all classes not deserving of confidence, and also of ill-disposed persons who might in future disturb public peace. Considering that, according to the last reports, some of the insurgent leaders have fled across the frontier on the approach of winter, and dispersed their bands, quartering them on the sympathising inhabitants of the country, and especially on the farms of small nobles and in the villages of crown peasants, in order that they might be ready to recommence the insurrection at a more favorable opportunity, I hereby direct your Excellency to remind the military chiefs of districts, and all ranks of the police to be particularly careful that no one shall escape being inscribed in the above-mentioned lists, and that the strictest search be made after all persons unworthy of confidence, participators in the insurrection, and former insurgents, who are all to be arrested, as also those who give them refuge or assist in concealing them, and at once sent under a strong escort to the governors for deportation to the interior of Russia. Particular search is to be made in Roman Catholic convents, rectories, and the residences of priests in general, and the houses and estates of nobles. The proprietors and the residents of houses which have served as a refuge for ill disposed persons are to be fined according to regulation, besides being punished in their persons according to law. In directing your Excellency to inform all your subordinates that they are made strictly responsible for the execution of this decree, I expect from their activity and zeal that in the month of January there will not be a single person unworthy of confidence in the country that has not been observed by the police, and that by that time the country will have been completely purified of such injurious persons."

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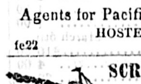
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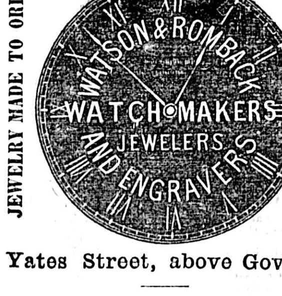

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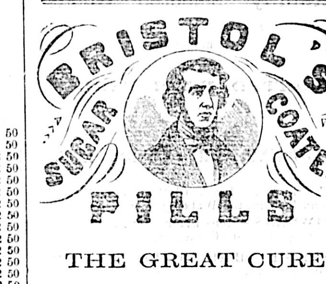

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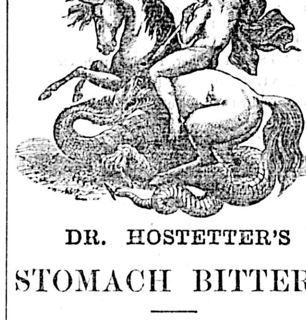

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LIMITED.

Duly Incorporated and Registered Under the Joint Stock Company's Act, 1860.

Capital - - - - - - $60,000,

In 2,400 Shares, of $25 each, of which about 500 Shares only remain for subscription.

Calls not to exceed $5 per Share, not to be made at less intervals than one month.

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A company formed in Cariboo last season obtained from the Government of British Columbia a grant of the Bed of Antler Creek 16½ miles in length by 100 feet in width for the purpose of laying a Bed-rock Flume and Hydraulic Washing.

The Antler Bed-rock Flume Company (Limited), has been organized for the purpose of working the above ground, the proprietors of the grant having accepted for their interest 1200 paid up shares.

A Lease for 10 years has been given by the Government of British Columbia direct to the "Antler Bed rock Flume Company" (Limited.)

200 Shares have been reserved, to be disposed of by the Directors hereafter for the benefit of the Company as circumstances may determine.

It is confidently believed by experienced miners that the Bed-rock Flume system will work an entire revolution in the mining operation of Cariboo, and render large districts available which under the present system are valueless.

Great excitement was caused in 1861 by the rich deposits of gold found on Antler Creek; much ground yielded over $1,000 per foot. It was found, however, that except where the soil was shallow, it was impossible to reach the bed-rock and work to advantage, on account of the immense amount of water and the looseness of the soil, consequently the Creek gradually became abandoned.

The amount of water and character of the soil are highly favorable for hydraulic working, while the fall in the Creek renders it most suitable for a Bed-rock Flume.

The soil on Antler Creek contains gold generally throughout, from the surface down, whilst the bed-rock deposits have been found to be very rich, the prospects therefore of the undertaking proving most profitable, amount almost to a certainty.

Besides the gold found in the ground, worked by the Company, it will derive great profit from the tailings washed into the flume from adjoining claims; it is this source of revenue alone which renders Bed rock Flumes so profitable in California.

Under these circumstances the Directors can confidently recommend the undertaking to the support of the public.

Applications for the remaining shares to be made to the Secretary without delay.

By order,
J. J. COCHRANE, Secretary,
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INCORPORATED UNDER THE Joint Stock Companies' Act, which specially limits the liability of each shareholder to the amount of his shares.

Capital, $132,000.

IN 2,640 SHARES OF $50 EACH.

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This Company is organized for the purpose of prospecting for Gold by Artesian boring on a large grant of land obtained from the Government of British Columbia for a term of Twenty years, situated on the flat on Williams Creek, and but a short distance below the richest paying ground of Cariboo.

The Prospectus of the Company, and the Articles of Association, together with a large map of William's Creek, showing the extent and situation of the ground leased by the ARTESIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, can be found at the Office of the Secretary.

Information can be obtained from any of the above Directors or from the Secretary, of what parts of the Original Shares are for sale, until the 2nd March next, after which date no stock will be disposed of, except through the Board of Directors, in whose hands the whole will then be placed for a term. fe25

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Victoria, V. I., 24th Dec. 1863. fe24 1m

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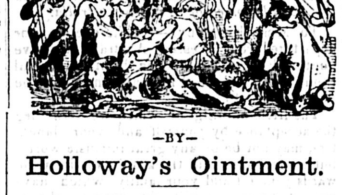

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Bad Legs, Ulcerous Sores, Bad Breasts and Old Wounds.

No description of wound, sore or ulcer can resist the healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance whenever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and permanent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.

Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighboring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage: the most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

Rheumatism, Gout and Neuralgia.

Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.

Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm, and other Skin Diseases.

After fomentation with warm water, the utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the liver and stomach; consequently in many cases time is required to purify the blood, which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills. The general health will readily be improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should be promoted; perseverance is necessary.

Sore Throats, Diptheria, Quinsey, Mumps and all other Derangements of the Throat.

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat; this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

Scrofula, or King's Evil, and Swelling of the Glands,

This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure, the liver stomach and bowels being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.

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Bad Legs	Chiego-foot	Fistulas	Sore-throats
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Sold at the establishment of PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY, 244 Strand (near Temple Bar) London; also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the civilized world at the following prices:—1s, 1½d; 2s. 9d; 4s. 6d, 11s., 22s., and 33s. each Pot.

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N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot. oc14

In the matter of the Emanuel of Victoria, Vancouver Island, Incorporation Bill.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Legislature of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies for a Bill to Incorporate the Israelite Congregation of Emanuel, of Victoria, under the style of the Emanuel of Victoria, Vancouver Island. The copies of the Bill will be deposited with the Clerk of the House on Saturday, the nineteenth day of March, 1864.

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The afflicted may rest assured that there is NOT THE LEAST PARTICLE OF MINERAL, MERCURIAL, or any other poisonous substance in this medicine. It is perfectly harmless, and may be administered to persons in the very weakest stages of sickness, or to the most helpless infants, without doing the least injury.

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Bankruptcy Notice.

WHEREAS GEORGE AUGUSTUS LOSACK, of Victoria, Vancouver Island, of no business, and formerly of Lillooet, in British Columbia, Constable, then of Marysville, Publican, and lately a prisoner for debt in the Gaol at Victoria, aforesaid, having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Court of Bankruptcy on the 2nd day of March, A. D., 1864, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, instant at 12 o'clock, precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first setting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the bankrupt is to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt or that have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to William Culverwell of Government street, the official assignee, and give notice to Pearkes & Green, Solicitors, Reid's Block, Wharf street, Victoria.
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WHEREAS, JOHN NASMITH, OF VICtoria, Vancouver Island, of no business, formerly of British Columbia, miner, and lately a prisoner for debt in the Gaol at Victoria aforesaid, petitioner in forma pauperis, having been adjudged a Bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Court of Bankruptcy on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1864, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March instant, at 12 o'clock precisely at the Court House, James Bay, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the Bankrupt is to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to William Culverwell, of Government street, the official assignee, and give notice to Pearkes and Green, Solicitors, Reid's Block, Wharf street, Victoria. mh5

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, V. I.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Re. James Spur Shaff;
Re. Nathan G. Levy;
Re. George B. Ironside;
Re. John Thompson McQuarrie.

THE ABOVE NAMED BANKRUPTS having severally duly passed their last examination, notice is hereby given that they will on Wednesday next, the twenty-third day of March, instant, apply for their orders of final discharge and certificates.

Dated this sixteenth day of March, 1864.
ROBERT BISHOP,
Solicitor to the above named Bankrupts.
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RE FRANCIS, A BANKRUPT.

PURCHASERS OF REAL ESTATE are hereby cautioned that an application will be made to His Honor the Chief Justice, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 17th instant, for leave to appoint new Assignees to the Estate of A. H. Francis, a Bankrupt, with a view to instituting proceedings in Chancery to recover certain Town Lots now held in the name of, or in trust for, the wife of the said A. H. Francis.

PEARKES & GREEN,
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PROCLAMATION.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY, SIR JAMES DOUGLAS, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-chief, in and over the Colony of Vancouver's Island and its Dependencies, Vice-Admiral of the same:

WHEREAS, it is expedient to declare that the Harbour of Nanaimo shall from henceforth be a PORT OF ENTRY AND CLEARANCE for Ships and Goods until otherwise determined by proper authority; NOW THEREFORE I, SIR JAMES DOUGLAS, Governor as aforesaid, do hereby publish, declare and proclaim that the Port of Nanaimo shall include all the space of water Southward of a line drawn from Harswell Bluff, the North Point of Departure Bay, to Entrance Island and Northward of a line running due East from the Northern Entrance of Dodd Narrows to the West Coast of Gabriola Island, as shown in the Admiralty Charts;

That the aforenamed Port of Nanaimo is and shall be, until otherwise determined by proper authority, a Port of Entry and Clearance for Ships and Goods, save and except as to the payment of any fees, licenses and dues which may be hereafter directed by proper authority.

Issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of Vancouver Island, at Victoria, this twelfth day of March, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-four, in the Twenty-Seventh Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED for the conveyance of Mails, by a Steam Vessel, for a period of nine months, commencing on the 1st April next, between Victoria and Comox, once a month; and Victoria and Nanaimo twice a month, calling at Cowichan, Maple Bay, and Salt Spring Island, both going and returning. The days of arrival and departure subject to the control of the Government. The said steamer to be capable of carrying cattle and to be at liberty to call at other places than those named. Payment to be made monthly.

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted

Tenders to be addressed to the POSTMASTER, on or before the 28th inst.

By order,
HENRY WOOTTON.
Postmaster.

Post Office, Victoria, V. I., March 18, 1864.
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VANCOUVER ISLAND PUBLIC NOTICE.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, 5th February, 1864.

THE ACTING REGISTRAR OF JOINT Stock Companies calls the attention of the various companies registered in Vancouver Island to the following rules, which should be complied with by such companies, without delay; inasmuch as the omission of observance of these rules hitherto has arisen most probably from want of knowledge of their existence, none of the delinquents will be proceeded against for the past penalties; but notice is hereby given, that within 30 days after the publication of this advertisement, the said penalties will have to be enforced unless the requirements of the statute are complied with.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATUTE.

1st. The name of the Company shall be painted or affixed to the outside of the office.

2d. Notice of the situation of the registered office shall be given to the Registrar.

3d. A register of Shareholders to be made pursuant to the 16th and 17th sections of the 19th and 20th Vic. cap 47, and shall be kept in the office of the company, and a copy authenticated by the seal of the company forwarded to the Registrar's office.

4th. If any special resolution is passed by the company under the 34th section of the same Act, a copy of such special resolution must within 15 days from its passage be forwarded to the Registrar.

5th. If any increase of the promised capital of any company is made by a resolution of the company, notice of such increase must be given to the Registrar within 15 days of the passage of the resolution authorizing any such increase.

GEORGE HUNTER CARY,
Acting Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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Caution to Mariners.

LIGHTHOUSE BOARD OFFICE, VICTORIA, V. I., March 8th, 1864.

THE CHIEF LIGHTKEEPER AT THE Race Rocks Lighthouse having reported that vessels recently inward bound from England, have passed dangerously close to the Race Rocks, when on their way to Victoria, the attention of shipmasters is called to pages 15 and 16 of the "Vancouver Island Pilot," by Captain George Henry Richards, R. N., from which the following is an extract:

"The Tides among the Race Islands run from three to six knots, and during bad weather heavy and dangerous Races occur; the outer Rock should be given a berth of a mile, at which distance from forty to fifty fathoms of water will be found; it may, however, if necessary, be rounded at a less distance, the most off-lying danger being a rock with five feet on it, lying S E by E from the Great Race, distant four cables.

"Attention must be paid to the set of the tides; the ebb runs almost directly from the Haro and neighboring Straits towards the Race Islands, and a sailing vessel, unless with a commanding wind, is recommended to give them a berth of more than a mile, and to steer N E by N for three or four miles before she bears up for Esquimalt Harbor.

By order of the Board,
(Signed) EDMUND HOPE VERNEY,
mh11 1m Sec. to the Lt. Ho. Board.

TREASURY NOTICE.

Trade Licenses, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Assessment Roll for the Half-Year, commencing 1st January, 1864, was finally passed by the Court of Revisors on the 16th instant, and that the amounts so assessed are now payable into the Treasury.

ALEXANDER WATSON,
Treasurer.

Vancouver Island Treasury, 24th February, 1864. fe26

IN THE MATTER OF A BILL INTItuled An Act to grant the right to construct a Telegraph Line connecting Victoria with the Telegraph system of the United States, and for other purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Legislature of Vancouver Island for a Bill enabling the President of the California State Telegraph Company and his successors to lay down a line of Telegraph over the public lands and highways which may be necessary to connect a Telegraph cable from Washington Territory with Victoria between two points on the coast, viz: Nanaimo and Sooke, and to lay the said line of Telegraph to Victoria from the point selected, and to lay the same line over any private land intervening, upon obtaining the consent of the owners of such land in writing, and to authorize such President and his successors in office, to purchase the right of way and all lands necessary for the purposes of the Company. The copies of the bill will be deposited with the Clerk of the House on Monday, the 29th day of February, 1864.

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Agents for
The President of the California State Telegraph Company. fe27 3w

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